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LATE HISTORIAN CHARLES GRAY
HONORED WITH HERITAGE STAR CEREMONY

ECHO STAFF

A huge crowd gathered in Old Town Bay St. Louis on Saturday to help the Hancock Community Development Foundation honor the late historian Charles Gray with a Heritage Star dedication ceremony.

The ceremony took place at the Hancock County Historical Society's headquarters, the Kate Loblano House at 108 Cue St. in downtown Bay St. Louis, which Gray was critical in procuring for the organization. After the ceremony, the society hosted a viewing of "Connections Matter: An Oral History



PHOTO BY ANNE PITRE
On Saturday, people gathered to honor historian Charles Gray with a Heritage Star ceremony.

of the People & Places of Hancock County, Mississippi," which Gray narrated.

Gray passed away on April 29, 2022. A native of Waynesboro, Miss., he was born on March 5, 1934. After graduation from Waynesboro High School, he attended Mississippi Southern College, now called the University of Southern Mississippi. After college, he served in the 15th Infantry Regiment of the U.S. Army. After leaving the service in 1958, Gray moved to New Orleans,

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Waveland firefighter Hayden Hall named one of Keesler's First Responders of the Year



PHOTO BY CASSANDRA FAVRE | SEA COAST ECHO
Pictured from left are Kevin Estrade with KFCU; Waveland firefighter Hayden Hall; and Waveland Fire Department's Assistant Fire Chief Casey Piazza.

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE
STAFF WRITER

Waveland firefighter Hayden Hall on Monday was honored as Keesler Federal Credit Union's First Responder of the Year for the Waveland Fire Department.

Keesler Federal Credit Union be-

gan the First Responder of the Year program in 2014, Kevin Estrade with KFCU's Community Development - Western Region said.

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Boo in the Bay set to scare up some Halloween fun



ECHO FILE PHOTO
Boo in the Bay parade is scheduled for this Saturday.

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

The fourth annual "Boo in the Bay Parade" is scheduled to roll through Old Town Bay St. Louis this Saturday, kicking off the Halloween season in Hancock County with "fang-tastic" style, event co-founder Gayle Adams said.

"We have over 1,200 riders scheduled this year," Adams, who co-created and chairs the event with Brett Ladner, said. "We have the Heroes Float this year — family members of (late Bay St. Louis policemen) Officer Branden Estorffe and Sgt. Steven

Robin will be riding in their honor. They're our grand marshals."

The king of this year's event is three-year-old Colton Graves, who just started this third year at the Children's Center for Communication and Development. This year's Queen Boo is Kate Whiteside, who has attended the Children's Center for Communication and Development since she was seven months old.

"We also have several new dance groups coming this year," Adams said, including Mystic

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'Mad Potter' collaborating with Mississippi PBS

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE
STAFF WRITER

Steve Barney, also known as the Mad Potter of Bay St. Louis, on Monday spoke about his newest project during the Hancock County Board of Supervisors meeting.

For many years, Barney said, he has been using art as a way to teach STEM

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76°

Low Temperature 62°F
No Chance of Rain
Humidity 68%

High Tide
02:24 am @ 2.2 ft

Low Tide
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Oct. 20
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Low Tide
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Oct. 21
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Low Temperature 56°F
No Chance of Rain
Humidity 46%

High Tide
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Low Tide
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Oct. 22
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Low Temperature 63°F
No Chance of Rain
Humidity 54%

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Oct. 23
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From Pearlington Farm to New Orleans Table

NOLA CHEF OFFERS FARM TOURS/TASTING DINNERS IN HANCOCK COUNTY

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

An accomplished New Orleans chef started a farm in Pearlington and is now offering tours and curated tasting dinners at the Tiki Farm & Food Lab.

“We bought the property about five years ago, and it’s been a gradual process,” Chef Ernest Foundas, founder and executive chef of Suis Generis restaurant in New Orleans and the Tiki Farm & Food Lab in Pearlington. “We ba-

sically have been putting in infrastructure and planting things as we go. It’s been a slow build getting it running from five years ago until now.”

Foundas said he and his crew initially began looking for properties for the Tiki Farm in and around New Orleans, but “prices were kind of prohibitive and they were tiny and had bad soil.”

Then, he said, “we started looking south of New Orleans, down the bayou and then over in Mississippi, because we’ve always

liked that area, too. The property was basically a foreclosure since Katrina. As soon as we saw it, we said ‘Oh, my God, this is the perfect property.’”

The food lab is positioned front-and-center on the bayou at Pearlington, Foundas said, with spectacular views.

“Plus, Hancock County is very

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PHOTO COURTESY OF MAGGIE ROBERT
Chef Ernest Foundas of Suis Generis restaurant in New Orleans conducts a curated tasting dinner at his Tiki Farm & Food Lab in Pearlington.

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and using core curriculum to use pottery as a way to teach STEM.

Barney described his next launch as the “biggest project” of his life, which is in collaboration with Mississippi Public Broadcasting.

It’s a new PBS television series called “The Potter’s Challenge: Unleashing the Secrets of Clay.”

“I’m real excited about this project, it’s going to feature kids across Hancock County who are going to go on adventures and participate in hands-on activities,” Barney said. “Right now, we’re recruiting kids to participate in the show, so if you know any kids or school teachers that we can recruit to participate, we’re going to be shooting the pilot.”

After the pilot is complete, it will be sent to more than 300 stations around the country which will evaluate it, he said.



ECHO FILE PHOTO

The “Mad Potter of Bay St. Louis,” Steve Barney.

The MPB is working with the Mississippi Department of Education with grant support from the National Science Foundation and NASA.

“It’s a \$1.4 million project over a three year period,” Barney said.

In addition to the television show, Barney said, there is also work being done with the Mississippi Arts Commission and its group called The Whole Schools Initiative and he said he is also working with teachers in schools providing

training.

In other action:

The board discussed renewing the franchise agreement with Mediacom, which board attorney Gary Yarborough said is a non-exclusive agreements.

“Basically, all the entities have these agreements with Mediacom, At&T, or otherwise and it’s just a non-exclusive right for them to use right-of-way,” he said. “In no way, does this make your constituents

bound to Mediacom. If AT&T wants to go in that area, they can go in there too, that’s why it’s a non-exclusive agreement.”

The board approved a motion authorizing Yarborough to negotiate the franchise agreement.

The board approved a motion declaring Dec. 16 as Wreaths Across America Day.

The board approved the E-911 Commission election results as follows: Brian Adam as E-911 Commission Chairman; Bob Armstrong as E-911 Commission Vice Chairman; Michelle Cuevas as E-911 Commission Secretary; and Heather Smith as E-911 Commission attorney for the Oct. ’23 to Sept. ’24 term.

The board accepted a \$5,000 donation from Industrial Corrosion Control Inc. to be used for miscellaneous needs at the Hancock County Animal Shelter.

The board also spread on the minutes a press release from Partners for Stennis and Michoud regarding Stennis Day in the Bay, scheduled for

Nov. 11 from noon to 5 p.m. at the courthouse. Along with that, the board approved a payment in the amount of \$2,500 for the “Heritage Star honoring the 660 Hancock County families that paved the way

for Space Exploration.” The funds — which will require a budget amendment — will come from the board’s capital budget line item.

The next regular board meeting is scheduled for Nov. 6 at 9 a.m.

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Hancock County has a new church

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

Hancock County has a new church! New Life Methodist Church was launched on July 30 with 50 charter members, 7 associate members, and a number of visitors, becoming the first Global Methodist Church in the county. Rev. David Newton from Lucedale 1st Global Methodist, and the Presiding Elder for the Coastal District, was present to lead the Service of Consecration and Covenant.

Pastor Lee Ann Williamson commented that serving communion to the group that Sunday was one of the highlights of her 43-year career in ministry. “These folks have been through a lot in their lifetimes, even in the journey to establish this new church. It was a joy to celebrate the establishment of a new community of faith among a group so full of joy in the Lord and in fellowship with one another.”

The congregation enjoyed a lovely luncheon after the service, which is just an ordinary occurrence with this group. “They love to be together, and food always seems to be a part!” said Rev. Williamson. “These folks live all over Hancock and Harrison Counties, but they come from all over the country. We welcome visitors almost every week, and most choose to keep coming back – this is such a warm-hearted fellowship.”

Pastor Williamson has most recently been serving as the Organizer and Chairperson for the Mississippi-West Tennessee Conference of the Global Methodist Church, a denomination that began

on May 2, 2022, during the schism in the United Methodist Church. The denomination already has over 3000 member churches around the world, with more than 110 in this conference alone. Other churches in our district include Diamondhead Methodist (which Rev. Williamson also pastors), Trinity Methodist in Gulfport, Cedar Lake Methodist in Biloxi, and about 10 others across the coast to Lucedale.

Prior to her work with the GMC, Rev. Williamson was director of Christian World Missions, an international church-planting ministry that established more than 1500 churches worldwide, along with orphanages, schools, Bible colleges, and other support projects that helped to make the churches stable. Her early training in Christian and Music Education prepared her well for the ministry in worship concerts, spiritual renewal retreats, and leadership training that characterized most of her career.

“The founder of the Methodist Movement, John Wesley, once said, ‘The world is my parish,’ and I have really lived that out. My son is even adopted from China! I’ve slept in hotels in Lagos and Delhi, in bamboo huts in the Philippines, and in mud huts in India. Because God is my dwelling place, everywhere I’ve been has been home. But my mother always said I was a nester, and I’m grateful to be building a more permanent nest here in Hancock County.”

One member of New Life Methodist said of his pastor, “Listening to a sermon by Lee Ann



Lee Ann Williamson

reminds me of one of my daddy’s sayings. He heard that Mark Twain said that the best way to learn is to sit on one end of a log and the teacher sits on the other end teaching.” New Life members have found Lee Ann to be open-hearted and approachable as she preaches a pretty good sermon each week.

The mission of the Global Methodist Church is to Make Disciples of Jesus Christ Who Worship Passionately, Love Extravagantly, and Witness Boldly, and New Life has taken this mission to heart. The congregation is committed to building bridges between God and his beloved children, offering hope and encouragement, and improving the lives of each person who enters their fellowship.

“We want everyone in our church to know and feel that they are an important part of our church community,” said another member. “We are already engaging with families in need to develop meaningful and lasting relationships with them as we introduce them to God, to Scripture, and to our church family.”

In fact, New Life intends to be a part of the southern part of Han-



cock Country for generations to come. “Many of us have lived through a lot in this county. We stayed put after Camille and Katrina, and we love our community. We believe it’s a great place to live and serve. We want everyone who comes to Hancock county to know what wonderful people we have here, and that New Life Church is a great place to plug-in and grow in faith.”

Just six months ago, 33 people gathered for worship at the Waveland library, and now they average over 50 in worship at the Bayou Philip Community Center each Sunday morning at 11 a.m. There is also a Sunday school class prior to worship each week, a men’s group mid-week, and a women’s Bible study will begin in mid-September. Methodists are connectional people, and every other Friday night, New Life joins with Diamondhead Methodist in their building for a time of worship and prayer.

“God is touching people every time we meet. We’ve seen some amazing healing and restoration as we faithfully reach out to God.”

God has gifted our church with great leaders. The Rev. Jim Codling, a retired Presbyterian minister, attends New Life with his wife, Chris, and leads both the Sunday school class and the men’s group. Angela and Stephen Bryant, who returned to Hancock County after years on the mission field in Morocco, occasionally fill the pulpit when Lee Ann is away.

The New Life Worship team is comprised of several talented and well-known local musicians. Dave Mayley, of “Bug Fest” fame, plays drums and guitar; Annette Moran plays guitar, bringing the unique sound she has helped create with her family band for many years; John Hively, beloved local artist, also plays guitar; Jessica Hughes on gui-

tar and singing; and Elisha Bailey singing. Even Pastor Lee Ann gets in on the worship team occasionally, singing and playing keyboard.

“I’m sure the angels stop to listen when they play on Sunday mornings,” said one delighted member.

Ruth Mitchell, director of family members, said, “Praise the Lord! In 134 days, we have gone from having no church affiliation, no preacher, no money in the bank, no physical home, no name, to joining the Global Methodist Church with a Godly preacher, money in the bank, a home (temporary though it may be), and we are now New Life Methodist Church!”

Please plan to join us on Sunday mornings at Bayou Philip Community Center at 10 a.m. for Sunday school and 11 for worship. Hang around with everyone after service while you enjoy tasty homemade treats and lots of laughter.

Waveland Ground Zero Hurricane Museum gives thanks

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

It was after we had over 325 Cruisin’ visitors that the museum board realized how many people come to our museum. These recent visitors complimented us on the quality and relevance of all the exhibits, not just about Katrina education but also those highlighting Waveland’s history and culture. In that crowd were two visitors (one from Meridian, MS and one from Indiana) who had come here after the storm as volunteers. They were touched and thanked us for not forgetting the storm and recovery efforts as well as continuing to honor and appreciate the volunteers who came to our aid.

We began reflecting on how the museum has grown since 2017/2018. We have seen the success of hosting a Smithsonian traveling exhibition and temporary exhibits that focus on Waveland and the Coast’s culture, history, and future. One of our popular temporary exhibits featured Gulfside Assembly. “We wish to thank the museum directors for allowing Gulfside Assembly



Echo file photo

to display its history as we celebrated our 100th year anniversary. I will be forever grateful for the guidance and support from the museum board to make my vision come to fruition”. Cheryl Thompson, Executive Director Gulfside Association, Inc. Highlighting Waveland’s history supports our strategic plan and we were honored to host this exhibit.

We realized our community did not have much to offer children so this year we opened Discovery Alley: a place for children to learn while having fun. Through a CSX grant and private donors, we have a hurricane simulator that has been enjoyed by kids, young and old.

We are proud to host an annual Hurricane Preparedness Seminar along with Hancock County Emergency Management, Mississippi Emergency Management Agency, and the City of Waveland. We have been honored to help orient the many new residents to our city and county who are looking for information on how to prepare and what to expect from our weather. And we are getting requests for more group tours! We were thrilled to be featured on MS Roads in 2023.

As far as how many visitors come to the mu-

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THE SEA COAST ECHO



Since 1892, the Sea Coast Echo has been all about the community, keeping people informed and supporting worthwhile causes. Now we’re taking that effort to a new level. For the next six weeks, we will donate \$25 from every print subscription sold to The Friends of the Animal Shelter in Hancock County. Now you can stay informed about what’s going on in your community AND directly help support it. Thanks for reading the Sea Coast Echo, and for supporting The Friends of the Animal Shelter in Hancock County. Let’s work together to make it a better community for everyone.

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The Krewe of Diamondhead Puts A Wrap On 2023 Theme

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

Members from Krewe of Diamondhead recently said their official goodbyes to the 2023 Mardi Gras Theme of 007 – Shaken Not Stirred at the Annual Theme Party held at The Club at Diamondhead.

Members arrived to a fully decorated ballroom highlighting the various 007s and the films that have captured the imagination. Starting with a charcutier tower, drinks and music, members mingled and enjoyed checking out the various theme looks donned by those attending. The food that was excellently prepared by the staff included cuisine from countries such as Italy, Switzerland, China, Jamaica and Cuba to name a few. The food was outstanding and no one went home hungry.

The Krewe held a very successful silent auction, 50/50 and raffle drawing, which will go towards their float. Items in the auction had feverishly competitive bidding up until the very end. It was great fun and some went home with wonderful prizes.

The upbeat musical vibes by Maverick and the Mohawk kept all attending on the dance floor as they celebrated



PHOTO SUBMITTED
King Hoppy Smith and Queen Suzy Smith enjoy the annual Theme Party.

the close of this Mardi Gras Theme. It was a fantastic and action packed way to wrap up the season.

The Krewe will next host the announcement cocktail party on Saturday, October 14 at 6:30pm, where the incoming royal court and their theme will be introduced. This will be the another night to remember.

There are many upcoming events sched-

uled that you don't want to miss and there is still time to join with a few remaining membership slots available. Please contact our Membership Director, Gina Newman at regina.newman09@outlook.com for an application or to ask questions.

The Krewe of Diamondhead is formed as a civic body for social purposes and Mardi Gras entertainment.

Holy Trinity hosts Grandparent's Night & Book Fair



PHOTOS COURTESY OF HTCS

Grandparents are an important part of our Holy Trinity family. We value the time and resources they share with our students on our campus. For the first family night of the school year, we welcomed approximately 375 grandparents and other family members. After a red bean and rice dinner, students were encouraged to bring their grandparents to the classroom to view work on display, meet the teacher, and visit the Book Fair. A special thank you to all who made this event such a success!

SSC Senior Named National Merit Semifinalist

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

Saint Stanislaus senior Matthew Simpson has been named a semifinalist in the 2023-24 National Merit Scholarship Program. Simpson joins an elite group of students from across the country. He is one of around 16,000 students to receive this honor of the 1.6 million students who take the PSAT to qualify. Simpson's next step is to apply for the National Merit Finalist Scholarship, which is awarded in the spring.

Originally from Columbia, Missouri, Simpson's family relocated to Diamondhead. He attended St. Vincent de Paul Elementary School and is the son of Drs. Samuel and Janet Simp-



Matthew Simpson

son.

Simpson entered Saint Stanislaus in the 7th grade and has consistently excelled in the academic arena. He holds a weighted grade point average of 4.4 and scored a 35 on his most recent ACT. As a junior he scored 5's – the highest score possible – on the AP Biology, AP US

History, and AP English exams. He is currently enrolled in the very demanding classes of AP Calculus, AP English IV, AP Government, Chemistry II Honors, and Physics Honors.

Simpson is an accomplished student who has been recognized each year on the President's Honor Roll and earned memberships in the National Honor Society and Mu Alpha Theta. Additionally, he is a member of the SSC Regiment as a bass clarinet player. He participates in the chess club and in eSports.

His future plans include pursuing a degree in Data Science at Mississippi State University.

Hancock Youth Leadership Academy High School and Junior High Programs to release 2024 applications

SEA COAST ECHO

Applications for the 2024 Hancock Youth Leadership Academy (HYLA) High School and Junior High programs, an initiative of the Hancock Resource Center, will be available to interested high school juniors and eighth graders who show leadership potential beginning on October 2, 2023. Hancock

Youth Leadership Academy teaches leadership according to the tenets of Courage, Character and Service.

The HYLA Junior High program is seeking eighth grade students from one of the four middle schools in Hancock

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Conservation Corner: Tishomingo State Park

When you think of places to visit in Mississippi, your first thoughts might drift to the Mississippi Gulf Coast. While the Coast offers its own variety of entertainment, it is rivaled by the unique, picturesque, and rugged terrain of Tishomingo State Park. The Park is located northeast of Tupelo, approximately 2 miles south of the town of Tishomingo off Highway 25. The infamous highway of the 1800s, the Natchez Trace Parkway, runs directly through the park (mile marker 304).

This 1,530-acre park was constructed in the 1930s by the Civilian Conservation Corps and named after a Chickasaw Indian chief. Officially opened in May 1939, this was the fifth state park opened in Mississippi under legislation passed during the depression years.

Historians take great pleasure in exploring the area known as the last home of a large band of the Chickasaw Nation before they were exiled to Oklahoma. Nestled in the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains, Tishomingo State Park contains rock formations dating to the Devonian and Mississippian epochs of the Paleozoic era. It is believed that the Paleo-Indians cherished the area as a source for foodstuffs and materials for tool-making and ceramic creation. There is still some evidence of their time in the area, such as the stone fish weirs that occasionally jut from the creek banks. These ancient structures, built by the Chickasaws, were once used to funnel fish into slatted baskets.



GUEST COLUMN
BY JAMES CUMMINS

Tishomingo State Park is packed with things to please every curiosity. For the geologist, there are the massive rock outcroppings. These rock formations are unlike any other in the state of Mississippi. These formations also provide hours of interesting endeavors for rock climbing and bouldering enthusiasts.

To biologists, the plant and animal life of Tishomingo State Park is simply fascinating to observe and varies tremendously. There are several species of plants found within the park that are rarely found

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Hancock History: Banks

Hancock County has enjoyed a robust, solid banking sector since the turn of the century when the Hancock County Bank and the Merchants Bank were established. Back in 1811, the few inhabitants of our neighborhood rejoiced when President James Madison annexed the Mississippi Gulf Coast, because it was apparent to all that the young United States of America was destined to become an economic empire.

The thirteen colonies on the Atlantic seacoast had agreed to a Constitution and had established a government. The first Secretary of the Treasury, Alexander Hamilton, promoted the creation of a central bank. A central bank was essential in 1791 to stabilize and improve the nation’s credit and improve management of the nation’s business and finance. The bank was successful in bonding northern merchants and financiers to the US Government and its economic agenda. The US Banking Sector grew in the Nineteenth Century and with the help of British investment, the West was opened, settled, and financed so that business and commerce boomed. The central bank was one of the important building

blocks of what was to become the modern nation state of the USA. It should be noted that next to George Washington, Alexander Hamilton was the most important figure in the establishment of the American Republic.

The Federal Reserve Bank (FED) during the Twentieth Century was charged with the task of maintaining a stable currency. Nevertheless, inflation had soured in the late 1970’s to 15%. In 1979, the FED Chairman, Paul Volcker, instituted a series of short-term interest rate increases to reduce this runaway inflation. However, this bold action created an asset-liability mismatch for the Saving and Loan (S & L’s) institutions. Specifically, the short-term costs of funding the S & L’s were higher than the returns they were realizing from their low interest fixed-rate mortgage portfolios. A recession followed in the early 1980’s and one third (1,043 of the 3,234) savings and loan associations in the country went out of business. This unhappy period has been called by historians the Savings and Loan Crisis of the 1980’s and 1990’s (commonly called the S & L Crisis). In Hancock County a local S & L, the People’s Federal Saving

and Loan was declared insolvent in 1989.

The history of the Hancock Bank is a Hancock County success story. The bank has enjoyed prudent, strong leadership throughout its existence in no small part because of a successful succession strategy recognizing, recruiting and grooming future leaders under the tutelage of the older bankers. One such outstanding President was George Schloegel, who was the sixth President of this bank. He started working for Hancock Bank at age sixteen in 1956 as a messenger and mail clerk at the salary of one dollar an hour. He remembers a sentinel event at that time when late after dark one Friday night he arrived at the locked front door of the bank loaded down with mail bags, fumbling to find his key. Much to his surprise Bank President Leo Seal Sr., got up from his desk and opened the front door for him and said as George was going home, “Good night George, have a nice weekend.”

A few days later the bank treated the young Schloegel to a twenty-five-dollar Christmas bonus. He claims that he knew at that time he wanted to work for and retire from this bank.



HANCOCK HISTORY
BY JAMES KEATING M.D.

He was made executive vice president in 1977 and president in 1990. Schloegel was an operational genius and a motivational, inclusive leader. This “rainmaker” persuaded Leo Seal Jr. and the Board of Directors to go from Mississippi to Louisiana with the acquisition of the American Bank of Baton Rouge. George Schloegel passed away on Friday, October 6, 2023.

In New Orleans, many banks have come and gone during its three-hundred year history. Unlike Hancock County, of all the banks that were established in New Orleans, not one is still in business. The last bank to fail in New Orleans was the First NBC Bank that was declared insolvent in 2007. Hancock Bank from the start has been unpretentious, but solid and substantial.



Treasurer David McRae to Host Unclaimed Money Open House in Bay St. Louis

Treasurer David McRae is hosting an Unclaimed Money Open House in Bay St. Louis on Friday, October 20. He will be joined by Louisiana State Treasurer John Schroder’s team. The two teams will be helping residents of both states find their missing money. All Mississippi and Louisiana residents are invited to attend, search for unclaimed money, and receive assistance claiming cash.

“Louisiana and Mississippi not only share a common border, but a common bond as well,”

said Treasurer McRae. “Our families grow up in one state and get an education in the other; they vacation in one, but call the other home. In this way, it makes sense that individuals in Mississippi may have lost track of funds left behind in Louisiana, and vice versa. Together, I’m hopeful that Treasurer Schroder and I will be able to return this money to their rightful owner, infusing our neighboring economies with a financial stimulus that can make both states a little stronger.”

WHAT: Unclaimed Money Open House
WHERE: Bay St. Louis Community Hall (301 Blaze Ave)
WHEN: Friday, October 20, 2PM-7PM
ALSO ATTENDING: Louisiana Unclaimed Property Team College Savings Mississippi
KEY FACTS: Over the last three years, Treasurer David McRae has returned \$80 million in unclaimed money to Mississippians. One in 10 Mississippians have unclaimed money.

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Darin L. Carter, 50, contempt failure to appear
Adam B. Carter, 25, trespassing
William L. Cassell, 40, contempt failure to appear (bench warrant) x 5; malicious mischief bench warrant
Ayden P. Christophe, 18, possession of paraphernalia
Amy M. Corser, 42, DUI 1st offense
Davin J. Dantzler, 43, felony possession of controlled substance
Ammie G. Dixon, 38, contempt failure to appear; petit larceny
Brenellius Duckworth, 36, disorderly conduct; malicious mischief
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Christopher C. Elliott, 44, hold for other agency; possession of weapon by felon
Shane J. Fontana, 23, burglary x 3; evasion,

failure to stop a motor vehicle x 2; tag-none, expired, improperly mounted, covering or mounted; motor vehicle designation of stop intersections, design and placement of stop signs; no turn signal; reckless driving
Joni G. Godfrey, 42, contempt failure to appear
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Henry L. Goods Jr., 32, DUI
James L. Graves, 37, shoplifting
Kimberly B. Hodge, 28, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Ashely M. Hoey, 34, probation violation
Zachary G. Holley, 38, DUI 1st offense; driving with suspended or revoked license; careless driving; no proof of liability insurance; contempt failure to appear
Amy L. Hundl, 56, contempt of court failure to appear
Jessica A. Hupp, 21, possession of paraphernalia; contempt failure to appear
Jerry G. Johnson, 45, contempt of court failure to appear
Thomas W. Kapp, 33, vehicle improper lighting equipment; no drivers license or expired; careless driving; DUI; possession of marijuana (1-30 grams); contempt failure to pay
Zachary T. Kingston, 34, trespassing after warning
Katrina R. Lago, 52, felony possession of controlled substance
Brysson L. Laneaux,

41, possession of marijuana (1-30 grams) while operating a motor vehicle; misdemeanor possession of controlled substance; seat belt violation; vehicle improper lighting equipment x 2; no drivers license or expired
Dylan J. Lebouef, 22, contempt failure to appear
Delfred R. Lewis, 65, burglary; simple domestic violence simple assault
Hilda C. Lindley, 44, probation violation
Kirsten A. Loftin, 27, DUI violations
Jason Lohman, 40, disorderly conduct
Kenneth D. Lowery, 63, contempt failure to appear
Jenna L. Madison, 29, simple domestic violence simple assault
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Aaron B. Newell, 36, simple assault
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Tommy D. Parker, 45, contempt of court failure to appear
Stephen L. Parr, 71, drunkenness/profanity in public place
Madison R. Peterson, 18, DUI
Monica C. Reese, 32, disorderly conduct; shoplifting; motor vehicle resisting/obstructing arrest; contempt failure to appear x 2; malicious mischief x 2
Abigail E. Richard,

20, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Julie A. Saffrhan, 48, DUI 1st offense
Craig E. Sandifer, 27, controlled substance to sell, barter transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense or possess with intent to sell, barter transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense
Megan D. Saucier, 40, contempt failure to appear x 2
Donald j. Schwartz Jr., 32, disorderly conduct; motor vehicle resisting/obstructing arrest
Jacob A. Seals, 32, contempt failure to comply
Louis J. Smith, 27, contempt failure to appear x 4
Arthur J. Smith, 46, contempt failure to appear; child support failure or desertion x 2
Timothy T. Stacey, 32, DUI 1st offense
Michael M. Summer-ville, 38, driving with suspended or revoked license; no proof of liability insurance; contempt failure to appear x 2; parole violation
Alton J. Terry Jr., 48, felony possession of controlled substance; possession of weapon by felon x 2; hold for other agency
Irwin L. Tunis, 54, contempt of court failure to appear
Jeanne T. Vidrine, 65, DUI 1st offense; motor vehicle resisting/obstructing arrest
Dajon X. Whitworth, 24, DUI 1st offense
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Woman sentenced to 10 years for car theft

District Attorney Crosby Parker announced last week that 42-year-old Bonnie Jean Jackson Gebbia was sentenced to 10 years in prison by Circuit Court Judge Larry Bourgeois in the Circuit Court of Hancock County for a Hancock County case and Biloxi case, both involving the theft of a motor ve-

hicle. The Hancock County Sheriff’s Office began an investigation into their case on Feb. 2, 2022, when the victim reported his 2011 Ford Explorer had been stolen. Less than an hour after the report, the sheriff’s office recovered the stolen vehicle at a Diamondhead Dollar General. Surveillance footage was obtained and depicted

the Defendant exiting the SUV with the key and leaving on foot. Jackson Gebbia later confessed to Hancock County investigators, Parker said. The Biloxi Police Department’s investigation into its case began on

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County (or homeschooled equivalent) to be a part of the HYLA Junior High class of 2024. Candidates for HYLA typically have leadership potential but have not yet had the opportunity to discover it. The Hancock Youth Leadership Academy will help these unlikely leaders recognize their potential. Students from the four schools will meet together for four full-day sessions to learn about leadership skills, community development and high school readiness. The last session will include a service project planned by students. The cost of the program is \$100.00 per

student; applicants may request scholarships through the school that they attend. The HYLA High School program is based on building college readiness, appreciation of community assets, and developing leadership potential. This program targets eleventh grade students from all Hancock County schools (as well as their home-schooled equivalents) who are able to balance academics and multiple activities while prioritizing this program; is interested in learning more about the community and will benefit from leadership skills training. The cost of the program is \$250; applicants may request scholarships through the school that they attend. Applications for both programs will be available beginning Oc-

tober 2nd through the application portal at www.hancockkhrc.org. HYLA staff will hold a workshop for interested high school applicants on Wednesday, October 11, 2023 at 6:30 pm at the Hancock Resource Center office, located at 454 Highway 90, Suite B in Waveland (next to PRCC). This workshop will include information on interview tips and example questions. The deadline for submission of both applications is Thursday, October 26, 2023 by 4:00 p.m. High school applicants must attend an interview on November 7, 2023. Students will be notified of selection before the Christmas holidays. Contact Rhonda Rhodes for more information, 228-463-8887.

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outside of Tishomingo County, Mississippi. Regular observatory trips are made to the park in the spring, summer and fall in search of over 600 species of ferns and wildflowers found in the park. There are also 13 miles of trails found throughout the park that are bordered by wildflowers and offer glorious views of canyons

overflowing with ferns and rocky bridges. These are trails that were formed and traveled by Native American Indians. It is the recreationist that mostly frequents this Mississippi treasure. Other activities and accommodations at the park include an all-purpose ball field, disc golf, fishing, bird watching, canoe rentals, and cabins that can be rented for extended stays. Mississippi generally enjoys temperate climates with cool winters and warm, humid summers. So, no matter what time of year

you choose to visit, or whether you long to relax while enjoying the outdoors or prefer to be actively enjoying it, you will find peaceful, scenic beauty and outdoor fun 12 months a year at Tishomingo State Park. James L. Cummins is executive director of Wildlife Mississippi, a non-profit, conservation organization founded to conserve, restore, and enhance fish, wildlife, and plant resources throughout Mississippi. Their web site is www.wildlifemiss.org.

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Obituaries

• BRIAN BAXTER

• **Brian Baxter**

Brian Emery Baxter unexpectedly passed away Sunday, October 8, 2023, in Tampa, Fla. Brian was born in Dallas, Texas, on November 28, 1956—the fourth child of Joseph Clay Baxter Jr. and Ethel Elizabeth Pinke. The family returned to live in Bay St. Louis, Miss., in 1964, where Brian completed school at Bay High School in 1976.

After graduation, he attended The University of Southern Mississippi before beginning a career in cable television and then as a casino dealer, where he worked at Seminole Hard Rock in Tampa the last 20 years.

Brian had a special spirit and a great sense of humor. He was a deep thinker, very observant and made people see things in a different way by starting conversations with intriguing questions. He enjoyed socializing and could always make people laugh with

his quick wit. He chose to never marry or have children and treated life as his one big adventure.

He loved being on the water—boating, fishing, crabbing and kayaking. He was excited to tell anyone about his little house on an inlet to the Tampa Bay. He loved Saints Football and would always root for them, especially when they were playing the Buccaneers. He was a lover of animals and will be missed by his cats Manu and Anchovy. He inherited the love of good food from his parents and enjoyed cooking. He loved camping and travelling, specifically to Costa Rica. He was very passionate about the people in his life, loved without judgment and made lifelong friends everywhere he went.

He is preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his brothers Raymond Clay Baxter (Yvette) and Hermann M. Baxter (Marcia), his



sister Laurie Baxter Turfitt, nieces Amber Kidd Myers (Shannon) and Sarah Quatela (Rob), nephews Tommy Turfitt (Holly) and Baxter Turfitt (Kaley), and many great nieces and nephews.

Anyone who knew Brian knows that he loved and missed his mother dearly. His ashes will be laid to rest near her in Bay St. Louis in a private ceremony. Please let the family know if you would like to be included. In remembrance of Brian Baxter, the family requests that any charitable donations be made to Healthy Gulf at healthygulf.org/donate/.

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For every EMT, police officer, and fire fighter in KFCU’s footprint, Estrade said, departments are asked to nominate a first responder of the year.

Waveland Fire Chief Tommy Carver Jr., and Waveland Assistant Fire Chief Casey Piazza nominated Hall for this year’s honor.

They said of Hall, “Mr. Hall, since beginning his career, has exceeded expectations in job performance and daily activities. One way, in particular, Mr. Hall has seemed to excel, is he has taken our fire inspection program to a

new and improved level. Mr. Hall enjoys inspections and has taken inspector classes to improve his knowledge in better serving the community for building and public safety.”

Hall — who has been a firefighter for about five years, all at Waveland — said it was an honor just to even be considered for the First Responder of the Year.

“We have a lot of guys here who do good work day in, day out,” Hall said. “To be recognized by my chiefs and by my peers, it means a lot.”

According to a release from KFCU, 88 individuals will be recognized in the credit union’s markets across three states.

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where he and life partner Jim Plauché ran Corrine Dunbar’s Restaurant on St. Charles Avenue for many years.

After they closed the restaurant in 1984, they moved to Bay St. Louis and Charles became instrumental in the growth of the Hancock County Historical Society.

For Charles’s first act, he petitioned the State to officially name a maritime battle that had taken place in local waters in the War of 1812. When the “Battle of the Bay of St. Louis” designation was approved, the Historical Society held a celebration that included

the firing of a cannon. “After that,” says Gray, “Our membership more than doubled, from seven to sixteen.”

The society now boasts more than 500 members.

Through the following forty-plus years, Charles served in every capacity possible at the Society and was eventually appointed Executive Director for Life, a position he actively and proudly held until the end.

Tish Williams, executive director of the Hancock Chamber and the Hancock County Community Development Foundation, said Gray’s star joins several others placed in Old Town Bay St. Louis, including those for Katharine Ohman, who greatly contributed to the rebuilding and beautification of Bay St. Louis after Hurricane Katrina; former Sea Coast Echo Publisher Ellis C. Cuevas; Chef Tony Trapani; businessman and one of the original planners of the Bay St. Louis Municipal Harbor, Jody Compretta; and former long-time Bay St. Louis Mayor Eddie Favre; and late gallery owner and arts-scene patriarch Jerry Dixon.

Established by Chet LeBlanc, the Bay St. Louis Heritage Star program is intended to recognize honorees’ contributions to the community.

Get prepared for respiratory virus season

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

The rates of respiratory viruses like influenza, RSV (respiratory syncytial virus) and COVID-19 tend to increase during the fall and winter months as more people gather indoors. The Mississippi State Department of Health (MSDH) encourages everyone to be aware of the risks and take precau-

tions to avoid infections and severe outcomes such as hospitalization and death.

There are some simple steps that can be taken to prevent disease: stay home when you are ill, cover your coughs,

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Aug. 16, 2022, when the victim reported that his 2019 GMC Sierra 1500 was stolen from the parking garage of the Beau Rivage Casino. Biloxi investigators quickly obtained surveillance of the incident, which showed the defendant and two accomplices working in concert to steal the truck, Parker said.

On Aug. 28, 2022, Biloxi Police Department



Bonnie Gebbia

received information that Jackson Gebbia was back at the Beau Rivage Casino. She was arrested a short time later after fleeing on foot, and being discovered hiding

under the I-110 bridge.

Bonnie Jean Jackson Gebbia pled guilty on Oct. 3, to both motor vehicle thefts in the Hancock County Circuit Court in Bay St. Louis. Her attorney requested that the judge consider placing Jackson Gebbia on House Arrest; however, Judge Bourgeois refused, noting her criminal history, and sentenced her to the maximum sentence of 10 years of incarceration in each case, to run concurrently.

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seum and who are those visitors:

•Since 2017, we have enjoyed over 19,383 visitors and we grow every year.

•Since 2022, we have broken down our numbers to analyze where visitors come from and in 2022:

•Visitors from Waveland: 254

•Visitors from somewhere else in Hancock County: 459

•Visitors from elsewhere in MS: 668

•Visitors from another southern state: 766

•Visitors from outside the south: 2458

•Visitors from out of the country: 159 (21 different countries)

In 2023, we are seeing the same type of breakdown of visitors. Visitors all relate to some type of natural disasters in their state, and they voice their appreciation and admiration for our community on how we band together and are so resilient. They shared “Waveland gives people hope”.

We keep planning to make our museum better and we take pride in being the main tourist attraction in Waveland. We take the fact seriously that the museum houses Waveland’s history. The board appreciated a letter from Dr. Edward Keith, MS State (retired) “Last spring when visiting Waveland and the Gulf Coast with a group of old friends, we spent time in your museum. As a former Gulf Coast resident, I was both awed and fas-

cinated by your exhibits and video”. Such correspondence validates our work and assists us in planning future improvements. Thank you to all our residents and businesses that tell visitors about us as well as our city officials for all the support. Please come see us!

We are always in need of volunteers, especially now that we have one part-time staff due to budget cuts. Please consider devoting a few hours to meet our visitors. You will be delighted.

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Stennis Day in the Bay to celebrate ‘A Space of Our Own’

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

Organizers have begun the count-down to the first-ever “Stennis Day in the Bay,” scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 11, in Old Town Bay St. Louis.

“The purpose of the event is to make our own people — our citizens of Hancock County — aware of just what goes on at NASA Stennis Space Center,” event Chair Janice Guido said.

Since many of the operations at Stennis involve national security and the general public isn’t allowed without high security clearance, Guido said, much of what goes on there remains a mystery to most people.

“We thought it was time to do an even where the public can have the chance to come out and talk to the people who work in-

side the space center,” Guido said. The event also offers an opportunity “to expose our children of Hancock County to the wonders of space science and anything to do with technology, engineering and math that supports the science of space exploration and oceanography and how much fun it could be — and what a good career this could be for them, right here at home.”

So many of Hancock County’s best and brightest move away after college, she said, when Stennis Space Center and the Michoud site just a few miles away offer fantastic career opportunities.

Guido said the idea for the event struck when she, Chamber Executive Director Tish Williams, and other Chamber board members Nikki Moon and Wendy McDonald were all at an

event at Stennis evolving around the Artemis ! mission — Stennis was conducting tests of the RS-25 engines for the future flights of the Space Launch System rocket on Artemis missions to the moon and, eventually, to Mars.

“We were talking about how impressed we were by the dedication of all the people working there during the launch,” Guido said. “We just realized what a treasure it was, what a blessing it was for us to be there.”

The Stennis Day in the Bay event is scheduled from noon-5 p.m. on Nov. 11, all around the grounds of the Hancock County Courthouse on Main Street in Bay St. Louis. During the event, the Hancock Chamber’s

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and wash hands or use hand sanitizer often.

This year, there are newly approved options for RSV prevention for certain at-risk individuals. People aged 60 and older, pregnant individuals, and parents or guardians of infants or children 19 months and younger should discuss these options with their healthcare provider.

All individuals aged 6 months and older are recommended to get an updated influenza and COVID-19 vaccination this year. These vaccinations are widely available at many pharmacies and healthcare provider offices. Children 18 years old and younger, as well as uninsured or underinsured adults, can receive influenza vaccinations at the MSDH county health departments.

“Early diagnosis and treatment can limit poor outcomes with influenza and COVID-19,” said MSDH Interim State Epidemiologist Dr. Kathryn Taylor, “but vaccination against respiratory viruses like COVID-19, influenza, and RSV remains the best protection against hospitalization and severe outcomes related to infection.”

For more information on county health department locations and services, visit HealthyMS.com/locations.

Follow MSDH by email and social media at HealthyMS.com/connect.

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business friendly,” he said.

Eventually, Foundas said, the plan is to sell produce from the farm, and “we hope to have our own cheese or spice blends or misos and work with the Farmer’s Market. Or even do a store front on the property.”

THE RESTAURANT

Foundas describes Suis Generis — located at 3219 Burgundy St. in the Bywater neighborhood of New Orleans — as a “center of multi-disciplinary creativity where local foodies, artists and musicians collaborate across disciplines.”

He said the restaurant uses exotic ingredients sourced

from the Pearlington farm and food lab as the catalyst for weekly changing menus.

The goal is to “reduce their carbon footprint and lead the way for positive change in the region by becoming Louisiana’s first zero-waste restaurant,” according to a Suis Generis press release. “They assess each item from their farm every week — the perfect parts are featured on the menu, the end pieces are turned into sauces, and anything left is pickled, fermented or composted back to the farm as part of their ‘food evolution’ process.”

THE TIKI FARM & FOOD LAB

Foundas hosts ticketed events and private chef curated dinners, cooking classes and farm tours at the Pearlington location.

“Our goal is basically to show people the benefits of zero-waste cooking,” he said. “Food costs are so high these days that it really is a benefit. ... We’re (also) hoping to spread the word on how to use all aspects of the ingredients. It works well because we’ve got the gardens there and we can show people how it works. We basically give them a farm tour and can explain to them and show them the interesting things that can be grown.”

The farm focuses on growing unique produce inspired by the South Pacific and Southeast Asia, he said.

The property is also available for private parties, weddings and romantic secluded dining experiences, he said.

Foundas said the food grown at the farm is “good for the Earth, plus it tastes good — you have local ingredients

which taste better than what you get from the store.”

CURATED EVENTS AND TOURS

Upcoming ticketed events at the Tiki Farm & Food Lab include:

On Saturday, November 4th at “Miso Making Made Easy” guests can expect to learn how to make miso, then settle in for an eight course tasting menu featuring house made misos

Saturday, November 18th will be an “Ode to the Chef” where guests will collaborate to write an eight line poem, from which the chef will then create an eight course tasting menu! This magical evening of culinary exploration is back by popular demand

On Saturday, December 2nd, guests will learn “Vegan Cheese Making” in a hands-on demonstration followed by an eight course vegan chef-curat-

ed tasting menu

On Saturday, December 9th at “Chasing Umami - How & Why?,” learn about the magic of umami, what it really means, and how to use ingredients with excellent umami producing potential

Finally on Saturday, December 16th, at “The Sweet in Heat,” attendees will learn several ways to make hot sauces followed by a six course tasting menu featuring the juxtaposition of sweet & heat!

Each event begins with a tour of the farm, and ends with a 6-8 course chef-curated dinner.

Events are not inclusive of beverages, but an array of interesting and unusual selections will be available for purchase. Tickets for each event range from \$100-\$125 and can be purchased at www.tiki-foodlab.com/book-online.

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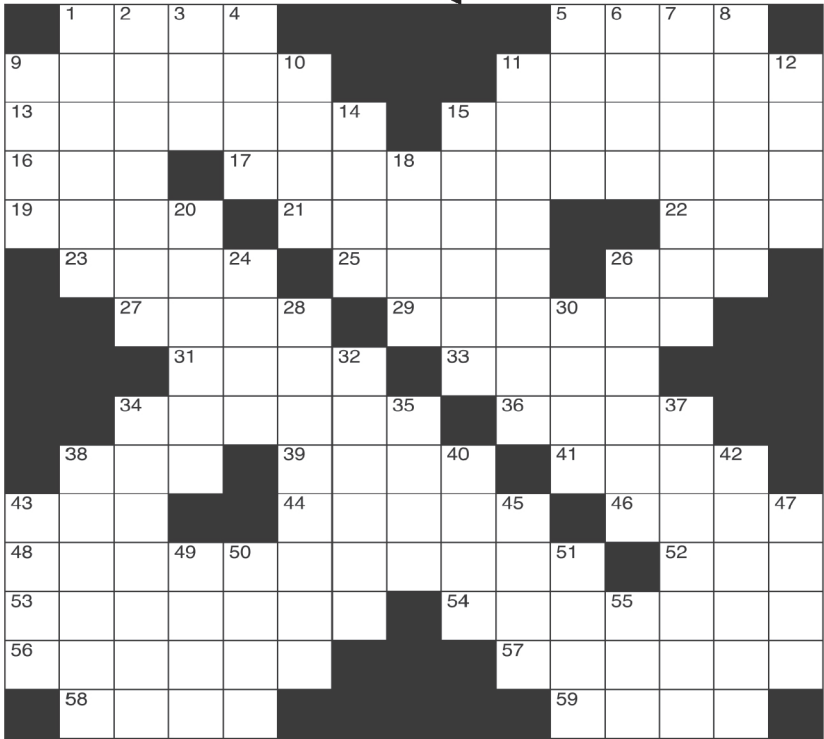
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CLUES ACROSS

1. Male children

5. Robert Wagner series “Hart to __”

9. Unfolded

11. Digestive disease

13. Wednesday

15. Malignant tumor

16. Conscientious investment strategy (abbr.)

17. Slowed

19. Letter of the Semitic abjads

21. Weights of cars without fuel

22. Former CIA

23. Asian country

25. Instead

26. Ancient Egyptian King

27. Privies

29. Shopping trips
31. Paradoxical anecdote

33. It’s on the table

34. Ancient Persia ruler

36. Small American rail

38. File extension

39. Days (Spanish)

41. Everyone has one

43. South American plant

44. About ilium

46. Vanished American hoopster

48. A type of breakfast

52. Uncooked

53. Examined

54. Christian recluse

56. Strong posts

57. Some are for pasta

58. Skinny

59. School-based organizations

CLUES DOWN

1. Ringlet

2. Type of complex

3. Midway between north and northwest

4. It becomes something bigger

5. German courtesy title

6. Genus of birds

7. Marked by public disorder

8. Least aggressive

9. Russian city

10. Insect repellent

11. Interruptions

12. Scoundrels

14. 1,000 calories

15. What one does overnight

18. Dwarf planet

20. Pipe

24. Black powdery substance
26. Set of four

28. Canned fishes

30. North Carolina college

32. Secured

34. A disgraceful event

35. Physical suffering

37. The home of the free

38. Some are boys

40. Satisfy

42. Makes very happy

43. South American plants

45. Modes of transportation

47. Female sheep

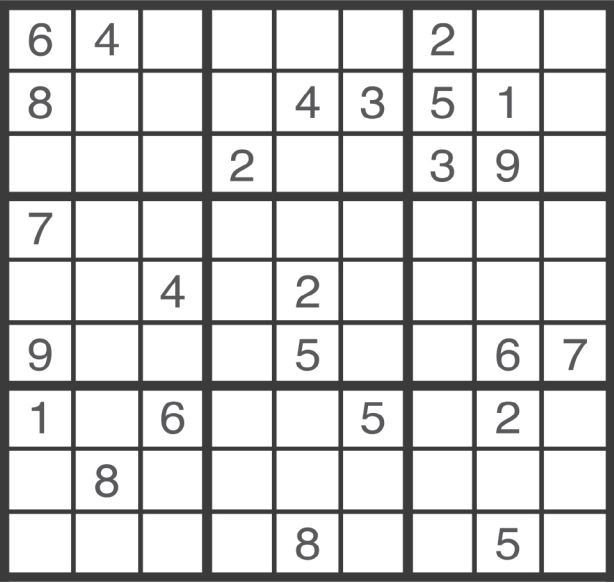
49. Type of torch

50. Piece of merchandise

51. Jump over

55. Wife of Amun

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TRIVIA QUESTIONS:

1. What is widely considered to be the first horror movie made?

2. What is the name of Neve Campbell’s character in Scream?

3. In Jeepers Creepers, the Creeper rises every how many years to feed?

4. What is the name of the summer camp where Friday the 13th takes place?

5. What kind of allergy does Charlie have in Hereditary?

6. What is the name of the possessed young girl in The Exorcist?

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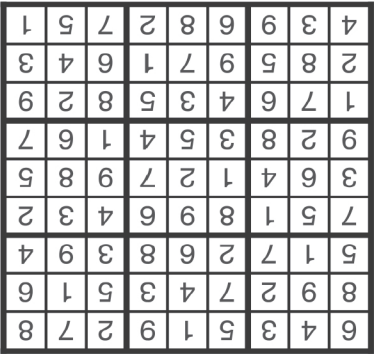
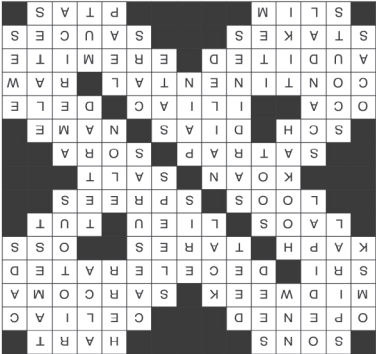
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1. The House of the Devil, made in 1898

2. Sidney Prescott

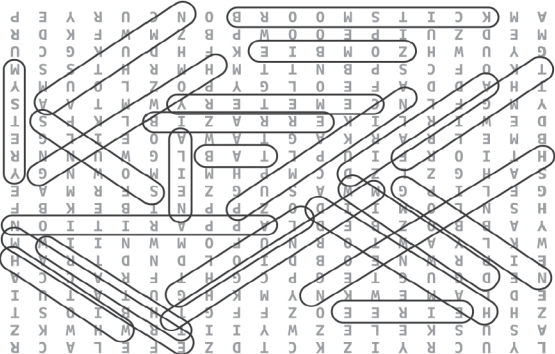
3. 23 years

4. Camp Crystal Lake

5. A nut allergy

6. Regan

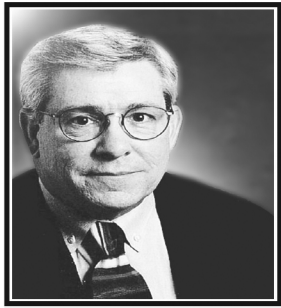
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Devotional Page

A World of Trouble

By **REV. C. GERALD RICHARDSON, D. MIN**



C. Gerald Richardson, D. MIN.

We live in a period of deep turmoil in our world. Conflict in the Middle East has escalated into terrible violence, injury, loss of life, and threats to freedom. Diplomats gather to ponder solutions, and hopefully reduce the pain. However, real answers seem hard to find. Ancient, and deep seated, anger keeps arising to mitigate

the crisis which has caused so much suffering and loss.

Closer to home, our issues create their own unique problems. Political leaders are unable, or unwilling, to find common ground on the contentions which face us. Government has essentially ground to a halt as disagreement has become the order of the day. The notion of compromise, which was the foundation of our national origin, has almost become a dirty word. Those with whom we differ have transitioned from the status of “loyal opposition” to that of bitter enemies and the personification of evil.

The once noble discipline of economics has moved from the realm of social science to a set of guidelines for greed and the conviction that the goal is to simply get all we can with little

or no regard to the impact on the larger culture. We observe this attitude in various enterprises, among them corporate retail, banking, environmental responsibility and more.

Crime, which often is rooted in poverty, substance abuse, broken homes, and dysfunctional relationships, is at epidemic proportions. Lowering numbers of homicides and assaults are celebrated as victories even though they continue to exist at astonishing rates. Weapons capable of causing unspeakable injury and death are defended as if they were an entitlement. These concerns are no longer just news stories from far-away places. They are present in our own, mostly peaceful, coastal communities.

Hostility appears all around us. This creates a tendency to

cower in “tribes” with those who see the world in the same way that we do. This can seem like safety, but in reality, it is exactly the opposite. It closes down discussion, isolates people into silos of thought, and ultimately serves as a breeding ground for even more anger.

Where is the hope in the face of such circumstances? As is often the case, spiritual wisdom holds possibilities. This is not about a church or religion. They are not likely to solve anything, and often create division. Spirituality is different. The values of love, listening, learning, and caring are more than words. We must learn to hear the pain, the fear, the frustration, the uncertainty which accompany the anger in our world. When we do hear, we are called to take it serious-

ly. This does not mean that we agree with everything, but it opens channels of discussion which can lead to better understanding. Creating imaginary demons of those with whom we disagree is a mistake. Engaging with them can be hard and contrary to human nature, but it can offer hope amid the chaotic anger in our world. This does not mean abandoning values. It does mean holding them with compassion.

In the world, and in our communities, the decision is whether we wish to foster contention. Will we move toward solutions, or will we continue on a destructive path? The answer is individual. The implications are collective.

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Hancock Co.

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25305 Cuevas DeLisle Rd
Pass Christian 255-6550

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Franklin & Hancock St.
Pearlington | 533-6030

First Missionary Baptist

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First Southern Baptist

Pearlington 533-7313

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Pass Christian 255-3255

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Pass Christian 255-2555
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Kittiwake Baptist Church

1410 East 2nd St.
Pass Christian | 452-4198

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6028 Lakeshore Rd.
Lakeshore | 469-0110

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S. Catahoula 255-2089
littleprovidence.org
Sunday school, 8:30 a.m.; morning worship, 10 a.m.

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Macedonia Baptist

400 Morris St. | Waveland

Morning Star Baptist

Sycamore & Watts
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721 Herlihy St. | Waveland 466-9829

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Whites Rd. | Pearlinton

New Life Baptist Church

6109 Road 312, Kiln
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Worship at 11 a.m.
Worship at 5:30 p.m.
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Pastor Robert Newell - 228-216-9492.

New Life Missionary Baptist Church

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Bay St. Louis | 467-6871

Old Spanish Trail Baptist Church

5078 Hwy 90 W.
Bay St. Louis
Paul Burdic, pastor
228-344-3109
Worship: 10:30-11:30 a.m.
& 10:30am or 6pm Sunday

The Old Way By Grace Independent Baptist Church

6166 West Kemper Street
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
Pastor Gordon Howard
243-0617

Shoreline Park Baptist

Waveland-Kiln Cut-off Rd.
Bay St. Louis | 467-9461

Victory Baptist

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100 Jeff Davis Avenue
Waveland
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Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church

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White Cypress, Perkinston 255-7720

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The Garden
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Minister Darrell Lanford
342-8030

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912 S. Beach Blvd
Bay St. Louis 467-7757

St. Thomas Episcopal

5303 Diamondhead Cr.
Diamondhead 255-9213

Trinity Episcopal

Church St., Pass Christian

LUTHERAN

Lutheran Church of the Pines

309 Hwy 90, Waveland 467-6771

Grace Lutheran Church

19221 Pineville Rd.,
Long Beach 864-4248

METHODIST

Clermont Harbor United Methodist

Ioor St., Clermont Harbor
Pastor: Rev. T. Manuel Johnson
Service: 11:00 a.m.

Diamondhead Methodist Church

5305 Noma Drive
Diamondhead | 255-6888
Pastor: Rev. Lee Ann Williams • Sunday: 9:00 am Worship and Kids Zone
Sunday: 10:00 am Discipleship Hour • Tuesday: 8 am Men's Breakfast, conversation & devotion • Tuesday: 6 pm Bible Study

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526 E. Second St.
Pass Christian

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Waveland | 466-9185

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Bay St. Louis

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Rev. T. Manuel Johnson, Pastor

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Pass Christian

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1011 Maple Street
Waveland, MS 39576
466-5024

Church of the Lord Jesus Christ

6166 W. Kemper
Bayside Park

Central Bible Church

2002 Hwy 90 W
Bay St. Louis | 467-0529

Power House of Deliverance

1978 Washington
Bay St. Louis | 466-3841

Power of Prayer Praise & Worship Center

9012 Pine Dr. Waveland 467-7314

Revive My People Church

5224 Hwy. 90, Bay St. Louis

Southern Outreach Ministries

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Bay St. Louis
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Triumph The Church and Kingdom of God and Christ

456 Easterbrook
Bay St. Louis | 466-4951

Word of Faith Christian Fellowship

1399 Old Spanish Trail
Bay St. Louis | 467-4488

Zacchaeus Community Church

106 Turner Street
Bay St. Louis
Sunday, 10 a.m.
Pastor Robert Gales
493-9944

PENTECOSTAL

First United Pentecostal

Old Spanish Trail, Waveland 467-3575

Healing Hearts Church

295 Hwy. 90, Suite 12,
Bay St. Louis
Sunday School, 10 a.m.;
Sun. evening service, 6 p.m.
Bible study, Wed., 7 p.m.

New Life Church

4404 Leisure Time Dr.
Diamondhead | 216-4105
Sunday, 10 a.m.

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Diamondhead Community Church

Diamondhead Circle 255-5556
Christian Education, 9am
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Rev. Jason Edwards
dhcommunitychurch.org

Old Town Presbyterian (USA)

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• Rev. Richard T. Gillespie

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Pastor
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INTERCEPTOR UTILITY 2023 OR NEWER VEHICLES. Proposals should be mailed or hand-delivered to Hancock County Board of

Supervisors Secretary, 854 Highway 90 Suite A Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39520 or by electronic bid submission at www.centralbidding.com. Notice is further given that the Hancock County Board of Supervisors will, at www.centralbidding.com, at 1:00 P.M. Central Time and ending at approximately 1:30 P.M., unless extended by Anti-Bid Sniping, on Tuesday, October 31, 2023, accept electronic bids through a reverse auction for FOUR (4) NEW OR UNUSED WHITE FORD POLICE INTERCEPTOR UTILITY 2023 OR NEWER VEHICLES.

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tageous to Hancock County. In acquiring said police package ford(s), the Board of Supervisors expressly reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or any part of any or all bids based on a lowest and best bid determination in the best interest of the County. The Board of Supervisors may consider the following factors in determining the award: date of delivery, services, previous performance and experience of the bidder, transportation cost, cost of operation, quality, maintenance and warranty. ORDERED this the 16th Day of October 2023.

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Bay St. Louis Municipal Harbor Hurricane Zeta General Repairs
FEMA #4576 DR-MS PW 497

Sealed bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the City of Bay Saint Louis, City Hall Conference Room, 2nd Floor located at 688 Highway 90, Bay Saint Louis, MS 39520, until Wednesday November 29th, at 10:30 A.M. local time. At that time, all bids received will be publicly opened and the bid amount read aloud. The work included in the Contract shall consist primarily of Construction of the following items:

General harbor repairs from Hurricane Zeta at the Bay Saint Louis Municipal Harbor

OBTAINING THE BIDDING DOCUMENTS

Information and Bidding Documents for the Project can be found at the following designated website:
www.baystlouis-msbids.com

Plans and Specifications are being made available via hard copy or digital download. Plan Holders are required to log-in or register for an account to view or order bid documents at www.baystlouis-msbids.com. Bid documents are non-refundable and must be purchased through the website. Questions regarding website registration and online orders are to contact the Plan House at (228) 248-0181. No partial sets of drawings or project manuals will be issued. No contract documents (hard copies or electronic copies) will be issued to Contractors within twenty-four (24) hours of the time indicated above for receiving bids. The Issuing Offices for the Bidding Documents is:

City of Bay Saint Louis
688 Highway 90
Bay St. Louis, Ms 39520

Chiniche Engineering & Surveying
407 Hwy 90
Bay Saint Louis, MS 39520

Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Offices on Monday-Thursday between 8:00-5:00 and Friday 8:00-12:00.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS
Bids must be submitted on the standard forms contained within these contract documents furnished by Engineer, noted in the Information for Bidders. Each bid shall be accompanied

by a Certified Check on a solvent bank or a Bidders Bond issued by a Surety Company licensed to operate in the State of Mississippi, in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total bid price, payable to the owner as bid security. Bidders shall also submit a current financial statement, if requested by the Owner. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount.

The required documents shall be submitted in a sealed envelope and the outside of the envelope shall be marked plainly as: Bay St. Louis Municipal Harbor Hurricane Zeta General Repairs FEMA #4576 DR-MS PW 497 and the Certificate of Responsibility Number.

Bids shall be deposited with the City of Bay Saint Louis, 688 Highway 90, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520 or for those interested, bids can be submitted at www.baystlouis-msbids.com the project page, prior to the hour and date designated above. No oral, telegraphic, telephonic, or e-mail proposals shall be considered. All interpretations of drawings and specifications shall be directed to Jason Chiniche at Chiniche Engineering and Surveying by email to: jason@jic-eng.com. An acknowledged received copy of all Addenda issued by the Engineer via Plan House must be included with the bid proposal. No bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty (60) days after the date of actual bid opening without Owners consent. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all informalities.

Work to be performed shall be in accordance with all Federal, State and Local Regulations and Codes.

Approved by the order of the City of Bay Saint Louis Council Members, this the August 22, 2023.

The City of Bay Saint Louis Hancock County, Mississippi PUBLISH:

1st Advertisement Date: October 12, 2023

2nd Advertisement Date: October 19, 2023

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
CAUSE NO.: 23CH1:22-cv-00562-CB

COTY CHARLES MITCHELL, DECEASED

MARY MITCHELL, PETITIONER

ADMINISTRATRIXS NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 16th day of August, 2023, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Coty Charles Mitchell, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

THIS 5th day of October, 2023.

s/MARY MITCHELL

PUBLISH: October 5, 2023, October 12, 2023, and October 19, 2023

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MARY MITCHELL, PETITIONER

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: Any and all unknown heirs-at-law of Coty Charles Mitchell, deceased whose

place of residence, street and post office address are unknown to Petitioner

after diligent search and inquiry.

You have been made a Defendant in a Petition to Determine Heirs filed in this Court by Mary Mitchell, Petitioner, seeking the determination of heirs at law of Coty Charles Mitchell, deceased. Defendants other than you in this action are: any person with a claim as an heir-at-law or wrongful death beneficiary of Coty Charles Mitchell.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on the 8th day of November, 2023, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Courthouse, in Gulfport, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition.

You are not required to file an answer or pleading but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and the seal of said Court, this the 26th day of September, 2023.

Timothy A. Kellar,

Hancock County Chancery Clerk

Cassie Tribble, D.C.

Publication Dates: October 5, 2023, October 12, 2023 and October 19, 2023

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on September 19, 2016, Denise G. Nestor, a single person executed a certain deed of trust to First NBC Bank, a Corporation, Trustee for the benefit of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as beneficiary as nominee for First NBC Bank, its successors and assigns which deed of trust is of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, State of Mississippi in Book 2016 at Page 20579; and

WHEREAS, LLG MS LLC has heretofore been substituted as Trustee by instrument dated April 27, 2023 and recorded in the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's Office in Book 2023 at 9012; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, Hancock Whitney Bank, the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expense of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LLG MS LLC, Substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will on October 25, 2023 offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.), at the front door of the County Courthouse at 152 Main St., Bay St. Louis, MS, to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds the following described property situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Lot 28, Block 6, DIAMOND-HEAD SUBDIVISION, First Addition, Unit 7, Phase 1, County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, as recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said County.

EXCEPT, all that certain part of said Lot 28, being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of said Lot 28; thence along the westerly line of said Lot 28, North 34 degrees 03 minutes 57 seconds West 125.00 feet to the northwest corner of said Lot 28; thence along the northerly line of said Lot 28, North 56 degrees 08 minutes 44 seconds East 9.41 feet; thence South 29 degrees 45 minutes 35 seconds East 125.32 feet the Point of Beginning. As per Survey No. 02-8022, dated December 12, 2002 by Sidney F. Fournet and Associates.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

LOGS Legal Group LLP
1080 River Oaks Drive, Suite B-202
Flowood, MS 39232
(601) 981-9299

7731 Moanulua Way
Diamondhead, MS 39525
23-028964

Publication Dates: September 28, October 5, October 12 and October 19, 2023

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN RE: ESTATE OF DERWOOD L. HOLBROOK, JR., DECEASED
CAUSE NO: 23CH1:23-cv-412-MA

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration having

been granted on the 17th day of August, 2023, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Derwood L. Holbrook, Jr., deceased, Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within ninety (90) days of first publication, or they will be forever barred.

This the 12th day of October, A.D., 2023.

s/ JAMES ALLAN HOLBROOK, ADMINISTRATOR

Caroline E. Haas, MS Bar No. 104525

Haas & Haas, Attorneys at Law
201 North Second Street
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Publish dates: 10/19/2023; 10/26/2023; 11/2/2023

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN RE: ESTATE OF DERWOOD L. HOLBROOK, JR., DECEASED
CAUSE NO: 23CH1:23-cv -412-MA

SUMMONS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: HEIRS AT LAW OF DERWOOD L. HOLBROOK, JR., DECEASED

You have been made a Defendant in this suit filed in this Court by James Allan Holbrook, Administrator of the Estate of Derwood L. Holbrook, Jr., deceased, seeking judicial declaration of the heirs at law of Derwood L. Holbrook, Jr., deceased. The Defendant other than you in this action is Teri Holbrook Anderson, who along with James Allan Holbrook are alleged to be the sole heirs of the decedent.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 a.m. on November 27, 2023, in the Chancery Courtroom at the Harrison County Courthouse, 1801 23rd Avenue, Gulfport, Mississippi and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleadings, but you may do so if you so desire.

ISSUED under my hand and seal of office, this the 12th day of October, 2023.

Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk

By: s/Larrinell Scarborough
Deputy Clerk
152 Main Street, Ste. A
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
(228) 467-5406

Caroline E. Haas, MS Bar No. 104525
201 N. Second Street
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
T: (228) 467-6574
F: (228) 467-6575

Publish Dates: 10/19/2023; 10/26/2023; 11/2/2023

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 23-cv-525 JP

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 13th day of October, 2023, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned co-executors of the will and estate of Diane Cornwell Meith, deceased, in Cause No. 23-cv-525 JP, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to the law within ninety (90) days from the date of the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred. This the 13th day of October 2023.
Robert Meith and David Meith
Co-Executors

Paul M. Newton, Jr.
Newton Law Firm, PLLC
Post Office Box 910
Gulfport, Mississippi 39502-0910
Telephone: (228) 863-8827

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
LOUIS L. CRESPO, DECEASED
CAUSE NO. 23CH1:23-CV-385

PROCESS BY PUBLICATION
YOU ARE
HEREBY COMMANDED TO
SUMMONS:

TO THE HEIRS AT LAW OF LOUIS L. CRESPO DECEASED and any and all persons or parties who are interested in or claim any right, title or interest as heirs of LOUIS L. CRESPO, Deceased, in the estate including, but not limited to, the unknown heirs-at-law of LOUIS L. CRESPO, if they be living and not to be found therein after diligent search and inquiry and whose places of residence, post office, and street and house addresses are unknown after diligent street search and inquiry to ascertain the same, and if dead, their unknown devisees, executors, administrators or legal representatives are not to be found after diligent search and inquiry, and whose places of residence, post offices, and street and house addresses are unknown after diligent search and inquiry to ascertain the same. You have been made Defendants in the lawsuit filed in the Court by Deborah Ann Calato Crespo, Executrix, in the Petition to establish the heirs-at-law and probate will in solemn form.

IF TO BE FOUND IN THIS COUNTY, to be and appear before the Honorable Jim Persons of the Chancery Court of Harrison County, at a Court to be held at the Courthouse in Biloxi, Mississippi thereof on the 7th day of November 2023, 1:30 P.M., next, then and there to show cause, if any they can why the will should not be admitted to probate and to assert any claim they may have in the will or estate and why DEBORAH ANN CRESPO CALATO, should not be named Executrix; and that the following persons are interested parties to this Petition for probate as best can be determined by the Petitioner after diligent search and inquiry, to wit: Deborah Ann Crespo Calato, Donna Ann Crespo Barone, and Dawn Ann Crespo McQueen; and to show why they should not be declared the beneficiaries, devisees, legatees and or heirs-at-law of the deceased; and why the Last Will and Testament of LOUIS L. CRESPO, Deceased, should not be admitted to probate in solemn form according to law, and further to do and suffer such things as shall be considered and ordered by the Court aforesaid in the premises, and have then and there this writ, with an endorsement thereon to the manner in which you shall have served.

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR and defend against the Complaint filed against you in this action on the date and time as set forth hereinabove before the Honorable Jim Persons in the Chancery Court of Harrison County, located in Biloxi, Mississippi; and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file answer or other pleadings, but you may do so if you desire by filing it in the office of the Chancery Court of Harrison County and sending a copy of your answer to William Cruse, 1016 Sixth Ave., STE A, Picayune, Mississippi 39466.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, this the 26th day of September 2023.

Tim Kellar, Chancery Clerk
_____, D.C.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

FRANK LUTHER BEIER, JR., DECEASED

CAUSE NO: 23CH1:23-cv-00197-CB

HANS TRULOCK BEIER, PETITIONER

EXECUTORS NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 21st day of August, 2023, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Frank Luther Beier, Jr., deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

THIS 5th day of October, 2023.

s/ HANS TRULOCK BEIER

PUBLISH: October 5, 2023, October 12, 2023 and October 19, 2023

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HELEN BARNES, DECEASED

MICHELE OHERN, PETITIONER CAUSE NO. 23-00435-MA

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW OF HELEN BARNES, DECEASED, AND ANY AND ALL PERSONS OR ENTITIES HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY INTEREST IN AND TO THE ESTATE OF HELEN BARNES, DECEASED, WHOSE NAMES, ADDRESSES AND POST OFFICE BOXES ARE UNKNOWN AFTER DILIGENT SEARCH AND INQUIRY. You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Michele Ohern, Petitioner, seeking to establish the heirs at law of Helen Barnes, Deceased. The parties other than you in this suit are Michele Ohern, Lori Chrisman, Timothy Barnes, and John Walsh. You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 A.M. on the 16th day of November, 2023, in the Chancery courtroom in the City of Gulfport, Harrison County, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the relief or other things demanded in the petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire. Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 3rd day of October, 2023. TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK BY: BRIDGETTE LADNER, D.C.

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF Hancock

WHEREAS, on the 2nd day of November, 2021, Jacob Weber, and Heather Weber, husband and wife, executed and delivered a certain Deed of Trust unto Fidelity National Title Insurance Company, Trustee for Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Mortgage Research Center, LLC dba Veterans United Home Loans, Beneficiary, to secure an indebtedness therein described, which Deed of Trust is recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi in Deed of Trust Book 2021 at Page 37582; and

WHEREAS, on the 23rd day of June, 2023, Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (MERS), as beneficiary, as nominee for Mortgage Research Center, LLC dba Veterans United Home Loans, assigned said Deed of Trust unto PennyMac Loan Services, LLC, by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Deed of Trust Book 2023 at Page 13335; and

WHEREAS, on the 27th day of September, 2023 the Holder of said Deed of Trust substituted and appointed Dean Morris, LLC as Substitute Trustee by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Deed of Trust Book 2023 at Page 21223; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payments of the indebtedness secured by the said Deed of Trust, and the holder of said Deed of Trust, having requested the undersigned so to do, on the 2nd day of November, 2023, I will during the lawful hours of between 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., at public outcry, offer for sale and will sell, at the front door of the Hancock County courthouse L, 152 Main Street, Suite A at the north facing front door at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the highest bidder, the following described land and property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Lot 108, Silver Creek Acres, Hancock County, Mississippi, according to the official plat thereof prepared by Elihu R. Lucas, Jr. on file of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk Office of Hancock County, Mississippi, in plat book 2, page 78, slide 137-140.

I will only convey such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this 4th day of October, 2023.

Dean Morris, LLC
Substitute Trustee
855 S Pear Orchard Rd., Ste. 404, Bldg. 400
Ridgeland, MS 39157
(318) 330-9020

adp/F23-0478

PUBLISH: 10-12-2023 / 10-19-2023 / 10-26-2023

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JESSE JOHN FINERAN CAUSE NO. 23-13 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary [DOC 19] having been granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, in the Estate of Jesse John Fineran, Deceased, on

the 28th day of June, 2023, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate to have their claims probated and registered by the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, and that failure to probate and register their claims with the Clerk within that time will forever bar the claim pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. §91-7-145.

THIS the 11th day of October 2023

Cynthia C. York f/k/a Cynthia R. Martin

Prepared by:
/s/Lewie G. Negrotto IV
By: Lewie G. Skip Negrotto IV (10060)
NEGROTTO & ASSOCIATES, PLLC
300 Davis Avenue, Suite 101A
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Attorney for the Estate and Executor

Published: 10/19/2023, 10/26/2023, 11/02/2023

IN THE CHANCERYCOURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF KENNETH EVERETT BOHNENSTIEHL, SR., DECEASED

BY: THOMAS BOHNENSTIEHL, Petitioner NO. C23CH1-cv-23-477 MA

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary having been granted on October 12, 2023, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned Executor of the Estate of KENNETH EVERETT BOHNENSTIEHL, SR., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of this Court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

THIS, the 12th day of October 2023.

THOMAS BOHNENSTIEHL, EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE OF

KENNETH EVERETT BOHNENSTIEHL, SR.

Prepared by:

Zach Butterworth, MS Bar No. 9946
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Post Office Box 3567
Bay St. Louis, MS 39521
Tele: 228-255-7500

Attorney for Executor

Publish: October 19, 2023
October 26, 2023
November 2, 2023

For the Claimant-Knowledge of this Live-Life is with this claim by this Claimant.

-1 For the knowledge of these facts are with the claim of this Live-life-man/woman born on- (Seventeen (day- (July)-- year- (1976).
-2 For these witness-knowledge of this live-life are with these claims of this live-lifebirth-nativity in the City--(New Orleans)-,State-(Louisiana)- County-(Orleans Parish), is with witness by the mother-party-by the name: (Karen-Louise: Newton), and by the father: (Unknown).--by their marriage-joinder.
-3 For the witness-knowledge of this live-life-claim are with the claim of this live-life-birth with an authorization of these (2) two-witnesses-autographs. (:Fumell: Farmer.)-one, (:Sitierria-lvey: Sanders.) two.
-4 For the witness-knowledge of these facts are with this live-life-birth-claim with this Correct-Sentence-Structure-Communications-Parse-Syntax-Grammar-Performance of this Communications-Claim with this live-life-party.
:Witness/ :Fumell: Farmer /:
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:Witness/ :Sitierria-lvey:San-ers /:Copy-claim ~For the day: October-5, 2023 FP:
:Tramica-shantrell: Newton.
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-fifth-DAY,--MONTH: October,--2023 by the now-time: On-demand: claim

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LOUIS L. CRESPO, DECEASED CAUSE NO. 23CH1:23-CV385 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 7th day of August, 2023, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of LOUIS L. CRESPO, deceased; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from date of this initial publication. Failure to probate and

register any claims within said time will forever bar the said claims.

THIS, the 7th day of August, 2023.
Deborah Ann Crespo Calato
Executrix

PUBLISH FOR THREE CONSECUTIVE WEEKS.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:

MICHAEL JOSEPH GILMORE, SR., DECEASED

CAUSE NO. 23CH1:23-cv-467-JP

SARA S. TAYLOR, ADMINISTRATRIX

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration were granted to the undersigned as Administratrix of the Estate of MICHAEL JOSEPH GILMORE, SR., deceased, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on or about the 20th day of September, 2023, in the above styled and numbered cause, in said Court; and notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi within ninety (90) days from the date of first publication hereof, and that failure to probate and register any such claim within said ninety (90) day period will forever bar the same.

THIS, the 13th day of October, 2023.

s/Sara S. Taylor

SARA S. TAYLOR, Administratrix

Preston J. Maufray (MSB #101131)
Attorney at Law, PLLC
P.O. Box 4272
Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39521
Telephone: (228) 216-6124
Facsimile: (866) 216-6124

PUBLISH ON: 10/19/2023; 10/26/2023; and 11/02/2023.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF:

MICHAEL JOSEPH GILMORE, SR., DECEASED

CAUSE NO. 23CH1:23-cv-467-JP

SARA S. TAYLOR, ADMINISTRATRIX

SUMMONS

TO: THE KNOWN AND UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW OF MICHAEL JOSEPH GILMORE, SR., DECEASED:

You have been made parties respondent in the above cause, filed in the Court by SARA S. TAYLOR, seeking to establish the heirs-at-law of MICHAEL JOSEPH GILMORE, SR., deceased.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed herein at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on the 29th day of November, 2023, in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, in Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and seal of Court, this 13th day of October, 2023.

TIM KELLAR, Chancery Clerk Hancock County Mississippi Post Office Box 429 Bay St. Louis, MS 39521

By: s/Bridgette Ladner DEPUTY CLERK

PUBLISH ON: 10/19/2023; 10/26/2023; and 11/02/2023.

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on May 25, 2006, Robert Necaise, Sr. and wife, Sherry W. Necaise, executed a Deed of Trust to Hugh Keating, as Trustee for the benefit of the Administrator of the U.S. Small Business Administration, an agency of the Government of the United States of America, which is recorded in Book 2006 at Page 35676 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, Underwood Law Firm PLLC has been substituted as Trustee under the Deed of Trust; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the terms and conditions of the Deed of Trust and the entire debt secured thereby has been declared due and payable in accordance with the terms of the Deed of Trust, and the legal holder of the indebtedness secured thereby, U.S. Small Business Administration, has requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell the property in accordance with the terms of

the Deed of Trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder together with attorneys fees, Substituted Trustees fees, and expense of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, Underwood Law Firm PLLC, as Substituted Trustee under the Deed of Trust, will on November 2, 2023, offer for sale at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash within legal hours (between 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.) at the front door of the Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, the following described property together with all improvements thereon situated in Hancock County, Mississippi:

LOTS TWENTY THREE (23), TWENTY FOUR (24), AND TWENTY FIVE (25), BLOCK J, BELLE ISLE SUBDIVISION, A SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL MAP OR PLAT THEREOF ON FILE AND OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHANCERY CLERK HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN PLAT BOOK 2 AT PAGE 39 THEREOF, REFERENCE TO WHICH IS HEREBY MADE IN AID OF AND AS A PART OF THIS DESCRIPTION.

UNDERWOOD LAW FIRM PLLC will convey only such title as is vested in it as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS OUR SIGNATURE, this the 28th day of September, 2023.

/s/ Andrew R. Wilson
Andrew R. Wilson (Miss. Bar #102862)
UNDERWOOD LAW FIRM PLLC
P.O. Box 1874
Madison, MS 39130
Phone: (601) 981-7773
File No. 23080284
PUBLISH: Sea Coast Echo (10/05/2023, 10/12/2023, 10/19/2023, 10/26/2023)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

GENERAL NOTICE

The City of Waveland (Owner) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:

STREET REPAIR

TYLER ST., RUBY ST., AND FOY ST.

Sealed bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the City of Waveland located at 301 Coleman Avenue, Waveland, MS 39576, until Tuesday, November 7, 2023, at 5:00 PM local time. At that time, all bids received will be publicly opened, and the bid amount read aloud.

The work included in the Contract shall consist primarily of the Construction of the following items:

Street Repair

Tyler St., Ruby St., and Foy St.

OBTAINING THE BIDDING DOCUMENTS

Information and Bidding Documents for the Project can be found at the following designated website:
www.phbidding.co
Plans and Specifications are being made available via hard copy or digital download. Plan Holders are required to log in or register for an account to view or order bid documents at www.phbidding.co Bid documents are non-refundable and must be purchased through the website. Questions regarding website registration and online orders are to contact the Plan House at (228) 248-0181. No partial sets of drawings or project manuals will be issued. No contract documents (hard copies or electronic copies) will be issued to Contractors within twenty-four (24) hours of the time indicated above for receiving bids.

The Issuing Offices for the Bidding Documents are:

City of Waveland
301 Coleman Avenue
Waveland, MS 39576

Chiniche Engineering & Surveying
407 Hwy 90
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Offices on Monday-Thursday between 8:00-5:00 and Friday from 8:00-12:00.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

Bids must be submitted upon the standard forms contained within these contract documents furnished by the Engineer, noted in the Information for Bidders. Each bid shall be accompanied by a Certified Check on a solvent bank or a Bidders Bond issued by a Surety Company licensed to operate in the State of Mississippi in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total bid price, payable to the owner as bid security. Bidders shall also submit a current financial statement if requested by the Owner. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount.

The required documents shall be submitted in a sealed envelope, and the outside of the envelope shall be marked plainly as:

STREET REPAIR

TYLER ST., RUBY ST., AND FOY ST.

and the Certificate of Responsibility Number on the outside of the bid envelope.

Bids shall be deposited with the City of Waveland, 301 Coleman Avenue, Waveland, MS 39576, or for those interested, bids can be submitted at www.phbidding.co under the project page prior to the hour and date designated above. No oral, telegraphic, telephonic, or e-mail proposals shall be considered. All interpretations of drawings and specifications shall be directed to Jason Chiniche at Chiniche Engineering and Surveying by email to: jason@jic-eng.com. An acknowledged received copy of all Addenda issued by the Engineer via Plan House must be included with the bid proposal. No bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty (60) days after the date of the actual bid opening without the Owners consent. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all informalities.

The work to be performed shall be in accordance with all Federal, State, and Local Regulations and Codes.

Approved by the order of the City of Waveland Board of Aldermen Board of Directors, this is September 20, 2023.

PUBLISH:

1stAdvertisement Date: October 12, 2023
2ndAdvertisement Date: October 19, 2023

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

TELLUS HOUSING, LLC PLAINTIFF

VS. CIVIL ACTION NO. 23-508-CB

FREDERICK DEBEN, JR., INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, LYNN FITCH IN HER CAPACITY AS MISSISSIPPI ATTORNEY GENERAL, HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, CROSBY PARKER IN HIS ROLE AS HANCOCK COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY, AND ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO MAY HAVE INTEREST IN LOT 7 LAKEWOOD S/D SECTION 2, LOCATED IN HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, SHOULD SUCH PERSONS NOT BE ASCERTAINED

DEFENDANTS

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

TO: AND ANY AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO MAY HAVE INTEREST IN LOT 7, LAKEWOOD S/D, SECTION 2 A SUBDIVISION SITUATED IN HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, SHOULD SUCH PERSONS NOT BE ASCERTAINED

TO ALL PARTIES WHO MAY HAVE AN INTEREST IN THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LAND AND PROPERTY: Tax Parcel No. 161b-2-01-019.027

INDEXING: Lot 7, Lakewood S/D, Section 2

All that certain parcel of land situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, being more particularly described as follows:

Lot 7, Section 2, Lakewood Subdivision, 1st Ward, Waveland, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official plat or said subdivision on file and of record in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Plat Book 7, Page 42.

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Tellus Housing, LLC, seeking to Confirm Title in the above-described property. SYMMES & ESTES, PLLC Attorneys for the Plaintiff, whose address is 1806 23rd Avenue, Suite A, Gulfport, MS 39501. Your response must be mailed or delivered within thirty (30) days after the 12th day of October, 2023, which is the date of the first publication of this summons. If your response is not so mailed or delivered, a judgment by default will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint. You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward.

Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this ____3rd_ day of October, 2023.

Timothy A. Kellar, Clerk Hancock County Chancery Court

By: Bridgette Ladner, D.C.

DATED: __10/3/2013__

Publish: October 12, 2023
October 19, 2023
October 26, 2023

136 Automobile

NOTICE

OF ABANDONED VEHICLES
The following vehicles listed below will be sold starting Oct. 26, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. at the location below:

TOW BIZ LLC
10016 Hwy. 603
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
(228)-493-4210

BLACK 1999 TOYOTA COROLLA

VIN # 2T1BR12E6XC130877

BLACK 2004 F150

VIN # 1FTPX14534NC15771

10/05, 10/12 , 10/19/2023

NOTICE

OF ABANDONED VEHICLES

The following vehicles listed below will be sold starting Nov. 11, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. at the location below:

MOSS TOWING

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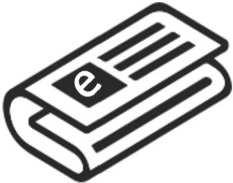
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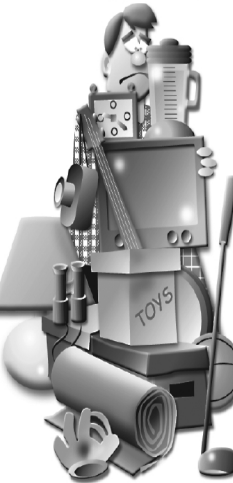


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Diamondhead Lions “Heart of A Lion” Award

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

Recently, the Lions of Diamondhead recognized Doug and Betty Maxwell for having the “Heart of a Lion” because of their many social and charitable activities over the years in Diamondhead.

This is the first Heart of a Lion award since the return to normal Club activities after the pandemic, and well deserved.

The Lions of Diamondhead would like to recognize others in Diamondhead that have participated in similar activities – but are not formally recognized by

another charitable organization. We think they should be recognized.

If you Could, would you ---

Lend a hand to help the Youth or Elderly in need?

Help Animal Shelters in care of orphaned pets?

Help the Blind or Vision Impaired? Help the Hearing Impaired?

Feed the Hungry – here and worldwide? Help Youth with Childhood Cancer?

Help preserve our Environment? Inform youth and parents about Childhood Diabetes?

Respond to world-wide Natural Disasters?

And any other need where people in action can make a difference?

If so, YOU certainly have the “Heart of a Lion”.

The Diamondhead Lions Club would like to meet you and talk about meeting these ambitions actions. All Lions Clubs are part of the worldwide Lions Clubs International.

Lions Clubs International is a BIG organization. There are 1.4 million Lions in over 200 countries worldwide in 48,000 Clubs -the largest completely volunteer organization in the world. Lions International

Headquarters are in Illinois – near Chicago. All administration costs are covered by local club dues – not from charity funds.

Our motto is “We Serve” - just two words that say it all.

Charity funds collected from the public must be returned to the public for charitable purposes. 100% - no overhead for administration.

Find out more about the Lions Club of Diamondhead. Be our guest at one of our regular club meetings soon. Our next meeting is Friday, October 20 for Lunch, at 11:30 AM in the Diamondhead



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PDG Lion Dwain Simpson reads the citation on the “Certificate of Lion-Heartedness” recognizing Doug and Betty Maxwell for having the “Heart of a Lion.”

Country Club. will save a seat for you - contact Lion Dwain Simpson at 228-363-2557 (dwainsimpson@aol.com).

Who’s Who in Luxury Real Estate Selects Chip Gardner and Herbert Dubuisson of Latter & Blum to Represent the Board of Regents Throughout Greater New Orleans and on the Mississippi Gulf Coast

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

Who’s Who in Luxury Real Estate (LRE®) is thrilled to announce that Chip Gardner and Herbert Dubuisson of Latter & Blum have recently been selected to represent the Board of Regents throughout Greater New Orleans and on the Mississippi Gulf Coast. This prestigious designation will provide them with access to elite tools and resources available only to Board of Regents members.

Chip Gardner and Herbert Dubuisson were chosen for their track record of demonstrating leadership and long-term success in the real estate industry. They bring together the power of the top real estate families in the region to serve clients; together they have completed over a thousand successful transactions. They will thrive as Board of Regents members, with access to numerous benefits such as prime placement on the award-winning websites LuxuryRealEstate.com and Regents.com, as well as global networking opportunities with other top real estate professionals.

Board of Regent Members are invited to exclusive meetings and events where they make influen-

tial connections that allow them to collaborate on a personal level, increasing their global reach and more effectively showcasing their local properties and expertise on an international scale.

Chip Gardner, a fourth-generation real estate broker, has achieved an impressive abundance of experience, licenses, and designations. With credentials including a Real Estate Brokers license in Louisiana, Mississippi, and Texas, as well as a Certified General Appraiser designation in the same states. Chip stands as a true authority in the field. Notably, Chip holds the prestigious title of MAI, a global recognition awarded by the Appraisal Institute, solidifying his proficiency in evaluating a wide array of properties. As a New Orleans native, Chip remains deeply involved in the local community. He serves on the boards of The New Orleans Mission Properties Foundation and The Gertrude Gardner Foundation, exemplifying his commitment to philanthropy.

For over two decades, Herbert Dubuisson, a second-generation real estate broker, has been a guiding force in the real estate industry, embodying a tradition of unparalleled service and exceptional

results. His illustrious career has earned him numerous accolades, including being nationally recognized by the National Association of REALTORS® as a 30 under 30 honoree. Herbert also holds the distinction of being the youngest Lifetime member inducted into the Mississippi Gulf Coast Association of REALTORS® Top Producer Club Round Table.

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To learn more about Chip Gardner and Herbert Dubuisson of Latter & Blum, please visit The Board of Regents (luxuryrealestate.com).

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Vixens, Southern Chaos, Southern Sensations, OLA Crescents, Slidell Synch, the Mississippi Mystic Pearls Dance Team, the Bay High Steppers, Rhythm and Grace Dance Center and “The Chairy Chicks,” who ride on motorized La-Z-Boy recliners, accompanied by the Chairy Papas.

“We encourage spectators to come in costume,” Adams said. “We tend to throw more those that are dressed up.”

This year’s event will benefit both the Children’s Center for Communication and Development and the Bay St. Louis Police Department.

“Uncle Joe’s is going to be donating 10 percent

of food sales from 1-5 p.m. on Saturday to the beneficiaries,” Adams said, and “The new TBT Butcher Shop will be doing a monetary donation. Brett and I are both super excited about the participation and support the Boo in the Bay receives from the community. It should be a ‘Fang-tastic’ night.”

Line up for the parade begins at the Bay St. Louis Train Depot at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday. All drivers and passengers must be in costume that can be scary but must be family-friendly. All units must be decorated. The parade will roll at 5:30 p.m.

Line up begins at Bookter Street and the Depot. The parade route will go from Bookter St. to Union, left onto Second Street, right onto Court Street, left onto South Beach Boulevard, left onto Ulman Avenue, left on Second, right on Main and ending at the intersection of Main Street and Ncaise Avenue.

For more, go to www.boointhebay.com.

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Leadership Hancock committee and Mitchell Distributing will host a “space themed” Bud & Burgers competition on Gex Street to help feed and entertain the masses. Over on Cue Street and spilling over into the Main Street United Methodist Church property, multiple booths featuring the different space and oceanographic-related agencies will feature interactive exhibits and a chance to talk with the many people who make

up the Stennis work force.

“Infinity Science Center will be there as well as the Hancock County Library with 3D rockets for children,” Guido said. “Inside the Methodist Community Center, there will be this wonderful children’s observatory.”

North Shore Community College and PRCC will also be on hand with interactive exhibits, Guido said, including personnel to talk about and demonstrate drone and STEM technologies.

In addition, most of the major NASA - Stennis Space Center tenants

will have booths on-site, including NASA itself, Lockheed-Martin, Relativity Space, Aerojet Rocketdyne, NOAA and more.

Other major supporters of the event include EIS, LLC; Rocket Lab; Goldbelt Falcon; Skydweller; Chiniche Engineering; SouthGroup Insurance; Infinity Science Center; and Mississippi Power.

There will also be special recognition for Apollo 13 Astronaut Fred Haise on his 90th birthday. The event will begin with an ROTC flag ceremony and flyover, with Avery Saucier sing-

ing the National Anthem, and a performance by the Coast Chorale.

The Hancock County Historical Society will feature historic films, photographic collections, and speakers, such as local author Pat Murphy, to talk about the history of NASA’s Stennis Space Center.

Anyone with a product or service related to veteran programs and services, space, science, technology, engineering, or ocean exploration is invited to participate by reserving a booth. Registration is open at www.partnersforstennis.org.

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
WHEREAS, on May 1, 2020, Earline M Mangano, single woman, executed a Deed of Trust to Cecil D McClellan, III, as Trustee, and Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., solely as nominee for Planet Home Lending, LLC, as Beneficiary, which Deed of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 2020, Page 10354; and which said Deed of Trust was subsequently assigned to Planet Home Lending, LLC by assignment recorded on March 17, 2023, in Deed of Trust Book 2023, Page 4723;

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed(s) of trust, and Planet Home Lending, LLC, as beneficiary, has authorized and instructed Padgett Law Group as substitute trustee to foreclose said deed(s) of trust by advertisement and sale at public auction in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor.

THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power of sale contained in said deed(s) of trust and in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor, the said deed(s) of trust will be foreclosed and the property covered thereby and hereinafter described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Hancock County Courthouse at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and will sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM) on October 25, 2023, to satisfy the indebtedness now due under and secured by said deed(s) of trust.
Padgett Law Group will convey only such title as vested in it as Substituted Trustee.

The premises to be sold are described as:

BEGINNING 850 feet South of the Northwest corner of the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 20, Township 6 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi; thence run South 350 feet; thence run East 304 feet; thence run North 350 feet; thence run West 304 feet to the Place of Beginning, being a part of the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 20, Township 6 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi.

The successful bidder must tender full funds at the conclusion of the sale in the form of a certified check made payable or endorsed to Padgett Law Group. No personal checks will be accepted. To this end you must bring sufficient funds to outbid the lender and any other bidders. Insufficient funds will not be accepted. Amounts received in excess of the winning bid will be refunded. Padgett Law Group reserves the right to award the bid to the next highest bidders should the highest bidder fail to timely tender the total amount due.

September 14, 2023

Padgett Law Group
Substituted Trustee
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Duly authorized to act in the premises by instrument recorded on September 13, 2023, in Deed of Trust Book 2023, Page 19934, of the records of the aforesaid county and state.

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OCTOBER 20

- The Arts Hancock County, located at 405 Blaize Ave., Bay St. Louis is hosting a two-day watercolor workshop with Kathy Bensabat on Oct. 20 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Oct. 21 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Learn the fundamentals of watercolors. Beginners to experienced students welcome. Learn the basics of watercolor painting and beyond. Experience the beauty of the medium. Appropriate for ages 15 and up. \$50 supply fee payable to Kathy Bensabat on day of class. What you need to bring with you to the two sessions: Pencils, eraser. Register at www.hancockarts.org/event-5354410
- The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre will open its new season with the play “Driving Miss Daisy.” Show dates and times are Oct. 20, 21, 27, and 28 at 8 p.m. and Oct. 22, and 29 at 2 p.m. Call 228-467-9024 for reservations or go to www.bsllt.org for online ticket purchase.

OCTOBER 21

- Main Street United Methodist Church, located at 162 Main St., Bay St. Louis will host Trunk or Treat in the two parking lots behind the church from 3 to 4:30 p.m., before the Boo parade. There will be a cupcake walk, games, treats, and fun.
- The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre will open its new season with the play “Driving Miss Daisy.” Show dates and times are Oct. 21, 27, and 28 at 8 p.m. and Oct. 22, and 29 at 2 p.m. Call 228-467-9024 for reservations or go to www.bsllt.org for online ticket purchase.
- Science Cafe on the Coast to host 50th anniversary of the Pascagoula Alien Abduction at 10 a.m. at East Hancock Public Library, 4545 Shephard Square, Diamondhead. Science Cafe on the Coast is a collaboration between the University of Southern Mississippi Gulf Coast Libraries, Harrison County Library System, Long Beach Public Library, the Hancock County Library System, INFINITY Science Center and Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College. Admission is free and open to the public with light refreshments available. For more information, call branch manager Gerry McCleskey at 228-255-4800 or email gmccleskey@hancock.lib.ms.us.

- The Gulf Coast Equality Fest will be held from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at The Great Lawn at Harrah’s Gulf Coast in Biloxi. The equality event inspires, educates, commemorates, and celebrates our community and allies. The festival theme for 2023 is True Colors. The festival will have live music, more than 100 vendors, food, kids’ activities, speakers, raffles, information, two drag shows and much more. The event is free and open to the public. Gulf Coast Equality is a nonprofit organization comprised of LGBTQ+ individuals and allies whose purpose is to bring the Mississippi Gulf Coast community together with resources to foster and encourage equality while celebrating our diversity. Learn more at www.gcequality.org.

OCTOBER 22

- The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre will open its new season with the play “Driving Miss Daisy.” Show dates and times are Oct. 27, and 28 at 8 p.m. and Oct. 22, and 29 at 2 p.m. Call 228-467-9024 for reservations or go to www.bsllt.org for online ticket purchase.

OCTOBER 25

- Glitter Shells and Throws Workshop at The Arts, Hancock County, located at 405 Blaize Ave., Bay St. Louis. Open to the public from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. \$50 per person, all supplies included. Join Yuki for a night of fun and debauchery making traditional Nereids shell throws. BYOB and snacks.

OCTOBER 26

- The Pearlinton Public Library will host Trunk or Treat at 6 p.m. Come dressed in your Halloween costumes. There will be decorated cars, tons of goodies, and fun. To register a vehicle, please call 228-533-0755.

OCTOBER 27

- The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre will open its new season with the play “Driving Miss Daisy.” Show dates and times are Oct. 27, and 28 at 8 p.m. and Oct. 29 at 2 p.m. Call 228-467-9024 for reservations or go to www.bsllt.org for online ticket purchase.

OCTOBER 28

- American Legion Post 77, located at 503 Waveland Ave., will its first Spooky House from 5 to 7 p.m. A 10

x 10 space is free of charge for people to come decorate their area. There will be a contest for best costume and best booth. Anyone interested can contact Madge Armstrong through Facebook.

- The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre will open its new season with the play “Driving Miss Daisy.” Show dates and times are Oct. 28 at 8 p.m. and Oct. 29 at 2 p.m. Call 228-467-9024 for reservations or go to www.bsllt.org for online ticket purchase.
- The Misfits Street Cruisers will host its annual Halloween Trunk or Treat from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Bay St. Louis Train Depot. Lots of candy, best costume prizes for all ages, hot dogs, chili, drinks, and dessert. All is free. The Misfits do accept donations, which are used to purchase toys for its annual toy drive in December.
- SVD’s St. Augustine Seminary Centennial Celebration will be held at 199 Seminary Dr., Bay St. Louis beginning at 9 a.m. with Mass at the entertainment stage. At noon, the historical exhibit open in the St. Augustine Seminary Chapel and tours of the property will be available. Multiple food trucks will be selling a variety of food options throughout the day from noon until 7 p.m. Live entertainment throughout the day from noon to 8 p.m. At 6 p.m. two winners will be awarded \$5,000 at the raffle ticket drawing. For more, email societydivineword@outlook.com, visit www.divineword-uss.org, or call 228-467-4322.

OCTOBER 29

- The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre will open its new season with the play “Driving Miss Daisy.” Show dates and times are Oct. 29 at 2 p.m. Call 228-467-9024 for reservations or go to www.bsllt.org for online ticket purchase.
- SVD’s St. Augustine Seminary Centennial Celebration will be held at 199 Seminary Dr., Bay St. Louis will begin at 8:45 a.m. with a procession led by a walking jazz band from St. Rose de Lima Church to St. Augustine Seminary. At 10 a.m. there will be a Eucharistic celebration at the entertainment stage. For more, email societydivineword@outlook.com, visit www.divineword-uss.org, or call 228-467-

4322.

OCTOBER 31

- Waveland’s Halloween Bash will be held on Coleman Avenue from 5:30 to 8 p.m. Come for lots of Trick or Treating fun.

NOVEMBER 2

- The 100 Men Hall is hosting Day of the Dead, DIA de los MUERTOS, celebration from 6 to 8 p.m. featuring a mariachi band, family altars, tacos, and tamales for purchase, and a cash/credit bar. Tickets are \$5 in advance or \$10 at the door. Day of the Dead celebrates ancestors with All Souls’ Day, a holiday in Mexico dating back to the early 1500s. The holiday, which is celebrated on Nov. 1 and 2, is like a family reunion - except dead ancestors are the guests of honor. Day of the Dead is a joyful time that helps people remember the deceased and celebrate their memory. For more visit the100menhall.com or email 100menhall@gmail.com.

NOVEMBER 3

- The Arts Hancock County, located at 405 Blaize Ave., Bay St. Louis is hosting a two-day workshop Discovering Oil and Cold Wax. It is for those who would like to learn a non-traditional approach to oil painting or explore oils for the first time. Cold wax medium is an additive that thickens oil paint to a frosting-like consistency. Using tube oils and R&F’s Pigment Stick (oil paint in stick form), we will create paintings without brushes or smelly solvents. Students will discover new tools and methods for creating rich and authentic small works on paper and Ampersand’s Gesobord. With Arches oil paper as our primary substrate, you’ll have several paintings going on at once and easily transport them back home. This workshop is fun, a bit messy, and will change the way you think about oil painting. Appropriate for adults 18 and up on Nov. 3 and 4 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Member fee is \$285; non-member fee is \$314. Materials fee is \$10 per student, payable to instructor on first day of class. Learn more at www.hancockarts.org/event-5291044.

NOVEMBER 6

- The Arts Hancock County, located at 405 Blaize Ave., Bay St. Louis, is showing a three day workshop, “Kicking the Fear of Abstraction.” This class will explore several media including monoprinting, stenciling, collagen, drawing with paint, using a ‘limited palette,’ and

development of impactful compositions. The workshop will be held Nov. 6, 7, and 8 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day. No materials fee. Students provide their own materials from list provided by instructor upon registration. Fees: Members \$536 and Non-Members \$569. Visit <https:// Hancockarts.org/event-5380322> to register.

- The 100 Men Hall, located at 303 Union St., is hosting Cigars Under the Stars from 6 to 8 p.m. Tickets are \$15. The Josh Garrett Band will perform on the Tin Shed porch. The event is a fundraiser and guests are asked to bring your own chairs. Monday night football will also be televised. Pass Cigars will have the smokes and accoutrements for purchase with all proceeds to benefit the Gulf Coast Veterans Associations in honor of Veterans Day. Cathead Distillery will provide Old Soul Bourbon and Gnarly Barley Brewing CO. will have three beers on tap with all proceeds to benefit the 100 Men Hall. There will be a cash/credit bar. Alligator Mike Promotions will be serving Cajun gumbo and fried fish for purchase.

NOVEMBER 11

- Waveland’s Veterans Parade will be held at 11 a.m. on Coleman Avenue. School groups are invited to join us in honoring all who served by participating in the parade. Email Kristen at kristentusa@gmail.com to register.
- Church Goin Mule, a rare art show at 100 Men Hall, located at 303 Union St., with tunes spun by DJ OG and a cash/credit bar from 4 to 8 p.m. Church Goin Mule is a southern artist who was born and raised across the south. Her work is a memory jug, a death-vase mash of the collective southern past, pearls, and rusted nails, song and story, lore and loss.

NOVEMBER 14

- St. Stanislaus is pleased to announce its upcoming Open House event from 5 to 7 p.m. Our Catholic, all-boys day and boarding school provides education to young men in grades 7 to 12. We warmly welcome parents and other interested parties to join us and learn more about St. Stanislaus. During the event, students and parents can explore our campus, get acquainted with our academic programs, athletics, and extracurricular activities. To register and receive further details about the event, please visit <https://ststan.com/open-house/>

NOVEMBER 18

- American Legion Post 77, located at 503 Waveland Ave., is hosting its first Open Car Show to raise money for veterans. The legion is asking for donations for the silent auction and for car show participants. The event will run from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Women’s Community Support Center will host a 5K Run, “Race to Embrace” fundraiser in Diamondhead. For more information, contact the center, or register at www.race-roster.com. To learn more about the mission and to offer time or financial support, visit www.womenscommunitysupport.org or call 228-586-3510.

NOVEMBER 25

- St. Stanislaus will host a soccer camp for boys and girls ages 6 to 13. The half-day instructional program will focus on developing technical and tactical skills, challenging players of all skill levels. The camp will be conducted by Varsity soccer coach Zach Villarrubia and his staff. It will be held from 9 a.m. to noon. To learn more and register, visit ststan.com/soccer-camp/

DECEMBER 2

- The Arts Hancock County, located at 405 Blaize Ave., Bay St. Louis is hosting Make a Willow and Paper Lantern for the Handmade Parade from 9:30 a.m. to noon. Using willow reeds and tissue paper, come and design your own paper lantern. A star, a fish, a jellyfish, you decide what you want to do. You will draw your design on paper, then measure and cut your reeds, taping and tying them into your desired 3D shape. Next comes gluing tissue paper, either plain white or colored paper, onto your structure. We will leave space for inserting battery-operated tea lights or fairy lights into our lanterns, and attach each lantern to a willowy bamboo pole for parading. We have a beach parade and bonfire scheduled for Dec. 21, the Winter Solstice. Appropriate for ages 16 to adult. Fee is \$25 per person for members; \$27.50 for non-members. \$10 materials fee payable to the instructor on day of class. Learn more at www.hancockarts.org/event-5297220.

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THE SEA COAST ECHO

SSC STOMPS ST. PATRICK 42-7

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II
STAFF WRITER

The Saint Stanislaus Rock-A-Chaws used a relentless attack on both sides of the football as they routed St. Patrick 42-7 in a Division 8-3A contest on the road.

The Rocks (6-1, 2-0) kept the pressure on the Irish throughout the first half as they built a commanding 35-0 lead by intermission.

The Rocks forced a punt by St. Patrick to open the game and went to work immediately with a six-play scoring drive that culminated with a 43-yard scoring toss from Ian Gonzalez Rioz to Ben Brewer with 7:19 left in the opening quarter. Evan Noel converted the PAT for a 7-0 lead.

The Rocks again forced a punt that was blocked by Finn Williford and SSC recovered the ball at the Irish 25-yard line.

Three plays later Rioz called his own number and scored from one yard out with 5:01 left in the quarter. Noel's PAT made the score 14-0.

St. Patrick put together their best drive of the first half going eight plays and driving down to the Rocks' 47-yard line before Spencer Cornell forced a fumble that Jacob Bradford returned 47 yards to the Irish 11-yard line. Rioz needed just one play to score from 11 yards out with 27 second left in the first quarter. Noel's PAT gave the Rocks a 21-0 lead.

The Rocks and the Irish traded turnovers before the Rocks forced St. Patrick to punt the ball away. SSC took over at their own 22-yard line. Rioz hit Jaxon West for a gain of 13 yards and Isaiah Haynes added carries of nine and six yards to bring the ball to midfield. Rioz found Ethan Galloway for a 50-yard scoring aerial with 3:34 left to play in the half. Noel's PAT made the score 28-0.

The Rock defense stopped the Irish to get the ball back with 1:03 left in the half. Haynes started the drive off with a seven-yard gain. Rioz picked up 17 yards before connecting with Galloway for 15 yards.

Another nine-yard pick-up by Rioz brought the ball close to the end-zone before Rioz found Galloway for a five-yard scoring toss with one second left on the clock. Noel's PAT made the score at intermission 35-0.

The Rocks opened the second half with a 11-play drive that featured back-up quarterback Sam Grant in action. On the drive, Grant completed 4-of-5 passes for 44 yards. Haynes did the work on the ground rushing six times for 58 yards including the four-yard touchdown run to end the drive with 4:31 left in the third quarter. Noel's PAT made the score 42-0.

St. Patrick took over at their own 20-yard line and went 80 yards in 16 plays as Ayden Le scored two yards with 4:23 left in the game to avoid the shutout. The PAT made the final score 42-7.

SSC head coach Tim Lala commented, "St. Patrick runs a tough offense to prepare for in one week with the triple option. They did some good things to-

night. However, we did a good adjusting to what they were doing. I am very pleased with our ability to adjust tonight. Isaiah Haynes finished with his second 100+ game. I am pleased with

a talented football team and commit to staying humble and get after it this week."

In the game, the Rocks were led by Ian Gonzalez Rioz who rushed five times for 37 yards and

a pair of touchdowns. On defense, the Rocks were led by Cornell with 11 total tackles and a forced fumble followed by Bradford with nine total tackles, three tackles for loss, and two



PHOTOS BY CARLOS HURTADO
Saint Stanislaus linebacker Spencer Cornell (#55) forces a fumble in the Rocks' 42-7 victory over St. Patrick last Friday night.

where we are right now, but there is more to accomplish. We have an athletic Perry Central team coming to us next week. Their quarterback is as good a player as we will see this year. We have to prepare for

two touchdowns and threw for 160 yards and three scores on 9-for-11 passing. Haynes carried the ball 14 times for 101 yards and a touchdown. Galloway led the receivers with five catches for 82 yards and

fumble recoveries.

The Rocks will host Perry Central 'between the walls' on Friday night for Senior Night. Kickoff is set for 7 p.m. See you at the game!

HAWKS FALL TO REBELS IN FIRST LOSS OF THE SEASON

BY JOSEPH KEYS
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

The Hancock Hawks came up short Friday night vs. the George County Rebels at Brett Favre Stadium, in Kiln, by a score of 28-6.

Hancock won the toss and elected to defer until the second half. George County's Bren Moody took the opening kickoff and returned it to the Rebels' 28-yard line.

The Rebels would not take long to get on the scoring. They took only six plays to find pay dirt, scoring on a six-yard run by Jacobe Street and with 10:36 remaining in the quarter, the Rebels led 6-0. The PAT was good by kicker Layton Fryfoogle, and the Rebels took an early 7-0 read.

On the next possession, the Rebel defense forced a Hawk punt, which traveled to 71

yards thanks to kicker Todd Dedeaux. The Rebels took over at the Hancock one-yard line. However, the Hawks defense stiffened and forced the Rebels to punt the ball back to Hancock. Hancock's Tre Robinson provided an outstanding return that set up the Hawk offense at their own 41 yard line.

On the next possession, the Hawks offense drove the ball all the way to the Rebels' 17. However, the drive fell short when Hancock attempted a fourth-and-three and Zach Gullung was stopped just inches from the first-down marker.

On the very next drive, Hancock appeared to gain momentum when Donte Taylor stepped in front of a Deuce Knight pass and returned it 40 yards to the Rebels' 21-yard line. However, just two plays into the

Hawks drive, Dylan Moran was picked off by the Rebels' Khol Bradley and returned 81 yards for a Rebel touchdown. After a successful PAT, the Rebels' lead was increased to 14-0 with just 15 seconds remaining to play in the first quarter.

On the next four possessions, both teams played outstanding defense and forced the other team to punt the ball away. On the fifth possession, Hancock was forced to punt the ball to the Rebels. George County's DJ Mcnair returned the kick to the Rebels' 39-yard line after being tackled by Hancock's Tyran Ramsey. On the very next play, the Rebels' Brandon Gautier took a handoff from Knight and carried the ball 24 yards to the Hawks 37-yard line. Deuce Knight then scored on a 37-yard quarterback keeper that gave the Rebels a

21-0 lead after the PAT by Fryfoogle, with 7:59 left to play in the first half.

Later in the quarter, the Hawks defense came up big and forced a turnover when Jaxson Knight forced a sack and fumble on Rebels Quarterback Deuce Knight. The Hawks would take advantage of the turnover and score on a 35-yard field goal by Saw Powell. The Rebels would go on a drive of their own, however, and an answered field goal attempt by the Rebels was no good, to end the first half scoring at 21-3.

To begin the second half, the Rebels kicked off to the Hawks. Hancock's Todd Dedeaux returned the ball to the Hawk 38-yard line where the Hawks began their drive. The Hawks then turned to work horse running back Zack Gullung, who car-

ried the ball four times on the drive. The Hawks also benefited from a pass interference call on an attempted pass from Dylan Moran to Todd Dedeaux. The Hawks would take quick advantage of the call when

Moran found Neil Ack-er on a 37-yard touchdown that excited the Hawks fans. Powell's PAT was good and with

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SCHEDULE

THURSDAY 10-19-23

- **Volleyball:** Hancock vs Lake Cormorant - Class 6A state championship match - Gillom Sports Center at Ole Miss, 3 p.m.

FRIDAY 10-20-23

- **Football:** Bay High at Poplarville, 7 p.m.
- **Football:** Hancock at Pascagoula, 7 p.m.
- **Football:** Pass Christian off.
- **Football:** Saint Stanislaus vs Perry Central (Senior Night), 7 p.m.
- **Swimming:** Class III state championship meet (Hancock), Tupelo Aquatic Center, 8 a.m.

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- **Volleyball:** OLA vs Alcorn Central - Class 3A state championship match - Gillom Sports Center at Ole Miss, 5 p.m.

SATURDAY 10-21-23

- **Swimming:** Class I and II state championship meet (Pass Christian, Our Lady Academy, Saint Stanislaus), Tupelo Aquatic Center, 8 a.m.

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9:51 left to play in the third quarter, the Hawks closed the gap and the score was 21-10.

On the very next possession, the Hawks defense forced a Rebels punt that gave Hancock great field position at the Rebels' 42-yard line. The Hawks would take advantage and turn to trickery when Gullung took a hand-off from Moran and tossed a per-

fect pass to Neil Acker for a 39-yard touchdown that had the Hawk faithful on their feet. The PAT was good by Powell and the resilient Hawks only trailed by four points 21-17 with 6:04 left to play in the third quarter.

On the ensuing the kickoff, the momentum appeared to be on the Hawks' side when the Rebels fumbled the ball and Hancock's Ramsey recovered the fumble at the Rebels' 36-yard line. Hancock's offense then drove the ball to the

three-yard line. However, an incomplete pass ended the drive and Hancock's momentum in the game.

The Rebels then went on a 97-yard drive that culminated in a 24-yard touchdown run by the Jacobe Street, taking the wind out of the sails of a stubborn never-say-die Hawk team. The PAT was good and the Rebels opened the lead to 28-17 with 45 seconds left to play in the third quarter.

In the fourth quarter, Hancock would add

scores on an intended safety by the Rebels and a one-yard touchdown run by Gallung that made the final score 28-26 and hand Hancock its first loss of the season.

"We started slow which got us behind the eight ball early," Hawks Head Coach Neil Lollar said. "They did a good job of responding when they got their backs up against the wall. The big thing is that we have to grow from this and we got to learn from this. Just about everybody in the state is going to

lose a football game. We have to move on. It's not a good thing, but it has to be a learning thing, that we have to take that next step as a football team and a program."

"Yeah, Hancock's undefeated -- when you get a win, you get a win," Coach James Ray said. I think we showed how good we can be in the first half, but just like I told our team, we can't let our minds slip at halftime; we thought it was easy. We have to keep pushing and

we have to keep fighting to duplicate halves. I though our defense played lights out -- they gave up some big plays in the second half and we can't do that. We take games one at a time. We got west Harrison next week, they have a good team also. We just want to win one more game.

Hancock is now 7-1 overall and 1-1 in district play. The Hawks will travel to Pascagoula this Friday to take on the 5-2 Pascagoula Panthers.

- WILDCATS BEAT TIGERS 42-35 -

BY PAYTON NELSON
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Last Friday, the Bay High Tigers, 4-3 (1-0), hosted the Greene County Wildcats, 1-5 (0-1), at Joe D. McCullough Stadium. This game was both schools' second division games.

The Tigers received the first kick and started the game off with a big drive, ending with an 11-yard rush by junior running back Jaylen Antoine then a converted field goal from junior Avery Harris, putting the Tigers up 7-0.

Greene County had a short drive that was ended by a punt that gave the ball back to the Tigers.

The Tigers also had a single rush, a pass, then a few more rushes before a pass that was caught by the Tigers but was dropped on a big hit that was intercepted by Greene County on the Wildcats' 44 yard line.

The drive continued through the rest of the first quarter, then continued into the second and led to a Wildcat rushing touchdown, then a successful point-after attempt.

As the Tigers received the ball, they drove it



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Coin toss to begin the game against Greene County.

back up the field and ended the drive with a 21-yard rush from Antoine and a successful point-after attempt.

As the Wildcats received the kickoff, it led to a 44-yard drive and a blocked point-after attempt, putting the score 14-13. The Wildcats then forced a fumble at their own goal line then scored another touchdown after a ninety nine yard drive and a two point conversion the score at the end of the half had the Wildcats in the lead 21-14.

The Wildcats started off the second half with a forty five yard drive with a reception for another touchdown to put the score at 28-14. The

Tigers came back with a 63-yard drive and a three-yard touchdown rush from Antoine, putting the score at 28-21 with the Wildcats up by a touchdown with 6:05 left in the third quarter. The Wildcats scored again, which put them up 35-21 before the Tigers scored off of a 23-yard touchdown reception with a connection between Xander Ladner and Antoine, bringing the Tigers down by just one touchdown with 8:55 left in the game.

The Wildcats were set to receive the kickoff but fumbled, giving the Tigers another chance to equalize. The Tigers had a 16-yard drive ended

by a six-yard rush with a touchdown from Antoine, his fifth touchdown of the night, putting the score tied at 35.

Greene County received the ball at their own 40-yard line and managed a long drive, ending with a one-yard receiving touchdown to end the game after the Tigers were stopped, ending the game 42-35. The end results left the Tigers at 4-4 (1-1) and Greene County at 2-5 (1-1).

Tigers Head Coach Jer-

emy Turcotte reflected upon the game and had this to say: "We ran out of time tonight. Our guys fought and clawed til the end...we just came up short this week when last week we were able to finish. We had our chances...we did have two turnovers but we also forced two late in the game. That's all part of football. It honestly came down to who had the ball last and who made one more play. Hats off to Greene County. We

will regroup and keep plugging away. I have no doubt our guys, players and coaches will come back this week, put together a great game plan, and have a great week of practice to get ready to go face Poplarville. Our team has a ton of character and resilience and I'm just proud to be their head coach. No head hanging and feeling sorry. Just back to work. That's what we do."

HANCOCK *and* OLA ADVANCE TO STATE FINALS ON VOLLEYBALL COURT

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II
STAFF WRITER

The high school volleyball season has come to the final match and two area teams are still alive and competing for that elusive gold ball. The Hancock Lady Hawks defeated the Lady Rebels of George County in five games to advance to the state finals for the fourth time in school history while the OLA Crescents needed four games to get past the Fighting Irish of St. Patrick to play for their 16th state championship in program history.

HANCOCK LADY HAWKS

The Lady Hawks of Hancock needed five games to get past the George County Lady Rebels on Monday evening to claim the Class 6A South State championship. Hancock beat George County 25-16, 19-25, 23-25, 25-19, and 15-12. The victory puts the Lady Hawks in the Class 6A state finals in head coach Greg Dillard's first year in Kiln. Dillard also gets to return to his stomping

grounds as he is a 2001 graduate of the University of Mississippi.

In their second-round matchup last Thursday, Hancock swept West Harrison 25-20, 25-18, and 25-21. In the first set, the Lady Hawks enjoyed as much as nine-point lead before wrapping things up. In the second set, Lane Wedgeworth and Laney Necaise played stellar at the net to keep West Harrison off balance. In the third set, Laney Necaise came up with the deciding kill to propel the Lady Hawks into the South State title game.

Hancock head coach Greg Dillard stated, "We expect to win every game we play. We feel that the only team that can beat us is us. Our seniors - Josie Smith, Hannah Lee, and Lane Wedgeworth - really battled for us tonight. We are looking forward to playing on Monday for a chance to get to the state finals."

The Lady Hawks (34-8) will play Lake Cormorant in the Class 6A state finals today at 3 p.m. at the Gillom Sports Center on the campus of Ole Miss.

OUR LADY ACADEMY CRESCENTS

The Crescents (41-4) needed four sets to dispatch the Fighting Irish on Monday evening to claim the Class 3A South State championship. The victory sends OLA to their 19th state finals in the sport of volleyball as they are chasing their 16th state championship in the sport.

The Crescents dominated the first set 25-13 and surged to win the second set 25-17 before falling in the third set 20-25. However, in the third set, the Fighting Irish had the Crescents down 15-5 only to see OLA claw their way back to a 16-15 deficit before the two teams duked it out for the final points.

In the fourth set, OLA got up 15-5 only to see St. Patrick fight their way back into contention tying the score 20-20 and 22-22. But the monster in the middle Myah Favre smashed

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FOOTBALL

PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

The Offensive Player of the Week is Saint Stanislaus kicker Evan Noel. Last week, Noel helped the Rocks defeat the St. Patrick Fighting Irish 42-7 going 6-for-6 on PATs and kicking off 7 times for 415 yards including 5 touchbacks. He also tallied a solo tackle on a kickoff and forcing a fumble.

VOLLEYBALL

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

The Volleyball Player of the Week is Our Lady Academy's Ava Davis. Last week, Davis helped OLA to playoff wins over Enterprise-Clarke and Southeast Lauderdale. In the two matches, Davis combined for 18 points, 7 aces, 72 assists, and 13 digs.



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the ball into the Fighting Irish for the final two kills of the match and the victory.

For the match, Ava Davis recorded 46 assists, 16 points, 5 aces, and 11 digs while Myah Favre had 19 kills. Julia Hoffman added 9 kills and Loralai Williford had 12

points and 7 kills. Kinsley Jean Stegall had 12 points, 11 digs, and 19 serve receptions while Ava Alonso collected 9 digs and 20 service receptions.

OLA head coach Emily Corley commented, "It is always tough to beat a good team three times in a season, but we were able to accomplish that tonight. St. Patrick had some good runs to-

night and we were able to counter and put up some good runs of our own. Our girls responded well and remained calm. Julia Hoffman and Loralai Williford stepped up their game at the net tonight while Myah Favre, Kinsley Jean Stegall, and Ava Davis were their consistent selves. We are excited to advance to the finals and play Alcorn

Central."

The matchup is the third consecutive year that the two teams meet in the state finals with Alcorn Central winning in 2021 and OLA claiming the title last year.

Last week, the Crescents picked off Enterprise-Clarke on Tuesday 25-15, 25-13, and 25-8 and Southeast Lauderdale on Thursday 25-6, 25-11, and 25-10. In the

action last week, Davis tallied 18 points, 7 aces, 72 assists, and 13 digs while Alonso added 25 points, 2 aces, 4 kills, and 10 digs. Favre had 9 points, 45 kills, and 5 digs while Stegall contributed 16 points, 3 aces, and 24 digs. Hoffman added 11 kills, 3 blocks, and 2 digs and Williford had 5 points, 10 kills, and 1 dig. Taylor Henley collected 9

kills while Kaylin Kinniburgh had 5 kills and 2 digs and Emma Cleveland recorded 8 kills.

The Crescents will play Alcorn Central in the Class 3A state championship match at 5 p.m. on Friday, October 20, at the Gillom Sports Center on the campus of Ole Miss. If the Crescents win, they will set a new record for wins in a season.

SSC & OLA CLAIM SOUTH STATE RUNNER-UP FINISHES IN POOL

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II
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The Saint Stanislaus and Our Lady Academy swim teams each finished as Class I South State runner-up in the pool on Saturday at the Laurel Natatorium.

The Rocks scored 129 points to finish behind St. Patrick with 200 points and ahead of Pass Christian with 46 points. The Crescents scored 82 points to finish behind St. Patrick with 186 points and ahead of Pass Christian with 70 points. Other scoring teams included Sacred Heart, Sumrall, and Northeast Jones.

Event winners for Saint Stanislaus included Noah Failla (200-yard freestyle - 1 - 2:04.16), Gibson Williams (100-yard butterfly - 1 - 54.17; 100-yard breaststroke - 1 - 1:03.33), 200-yard freestyle relay of Vince Vorrath, Failla, Tiago Valle, and Blake Shaw with a time of 1:44.85,

and the 400-yard freestyle relay team of Failla, Shaw, Vorrath, and Williams with a time of 3:43.07.

Other top three finishers for the Rocks include the 200-yard medley relay of Shaw, Williams, Blake Henley, and Vorrath with a second-place time of 1:54.96. Vorrath was third in the 50-yard freestyle with a time of 26.70. Valle took second in the 100-yard freestyle with a time of 1:02.61 and Failla was third in the 500-yard freestyle in 5:40.25. Shaw placed third in the 100-yard backstroke with a time of 1:04.30.

OLA's top finishers include the 200-yard medley relay team of Faith Nunmaker, Lily Yanez, Ella Garcia, and Charlotte Nobile with a third-place finish in 2:27.51. Garcia was third in the 100-yard butterfly with a time of 1:22.50 and Yanez took third in the 100-yard freestyle in 1:03.24. Stella

Cappel placed third in the 500-yard freestyle with a time of 6:52.92. The 200-yard freestyle relay team of Nobile, Garcia, Nunmaker, and Yanez placed second in 2:04.17. The 400-yard freestyle relay team of Nunmaker, Cappel, Garcia, and Yanez placed second in 4:41.08.

The top finishers for the Lady Pirates of Pass Christian include Morgan McWilliams (50-yard freestyle - 2 - 27.57; 100-yard freestyle - 2 - 1:03.19), Sarah Taylor (100-yard butterfly - 2 - 1:14.76), Cameron Jenkins (50-yard freestyle - 3 - 31.25), and the 200-yard freestyle relay team of Taylor, Elizabeth Walton, Jenkins, and McWilliams was third in 2:04.49.

The Pirates' top finishers on the boys' side were the 200-yard medley relay team of Miles Schiel, Jacoby Johnson, Daniel Huck, and Jeremiah Clouser placing third in 2:22.25, John-



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The Saint Stanislaus and Our Lady Academy swim teams each finished as Class I South State runner-up in the pool on Saturday

son placing second in the 50-yard freestyle in 26.02, and the 200-yard freestyle relay team of Clouser, Huck, Schiel, and Johnson placing third in 2:03.57.

The Hancock Hawks placed sixth in the girls' division with 39 points behind champion West Jones with 144 while

the Hawks were seventh with 18 points behind champion Pearl River Central with 161 points.

Francesca Neri led the Lady Hawks with first place finishes in the 50-yard freestyle (27.05) and 100-yard breaststroke (1:18.44). Other top three finishers for the Lady Hawks include

Logan Sullivan placing second in the 100-yard backstroke in 1:09.47.

The Hawks did not have a top three finisher. The Class I and Class II state swimming championship meets will be held on Saturday at the Tupelo Aquatic Center at 8 a.m.

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